

Exhibit looks at Bethel area's ski history.



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to the swift.'
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New state, federal land-use plans to have uncertain impact here

- WMNF 'roadless' rule could halt logging in Caribou-Speckled area
- The nearby 'ecological reserve' is on land little used for logging

By ALISON ALOISIO

Six thousand acres of land in the Caribou-Speckled Mountain area will be included under the U.S. Forest Service's recently-approved logging ban in designated roadless areas. But whether the designation will actually affect logging on the land is not yet clear.

The roadless rule, approved this month by former President Bill Clinton, bans logging and road-building on almost one-third of inventoried roadless areas in the National Forest system. About 45,000 acres in the White Mountain National Forest are affected.

There is a possibility Congress could rescind the action following an anticipated review.

About half of the 6,000 acres in the Caribou-Speckled Mountain area lie in a corridor along Route 113, according to Wayne Millen, assistant district ranger with the U.S. Forest Service. Logging has been ongoing in that area for the past five years. Harvesting takes place generally in 15- to 20-year cycles, and is just concluding in that area this winter, Millen said. Approximately three million board

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Gould's Chamberlain to race for U.S. World Championship team

By REBECCA ZICARELLI

David Chamberlain, assistant athletic director at Gould Academy, is one of the top Nordic racers in the country. Next month he will compete in the World Championship in Lahti, Finland, as a member of the U.S. World Championship ski team.

Chamberlain is humble about his accomplishments. "I'm skiing well this year," is about as far as he will go.

It takes prodding to get him to add that he has placed in the top 15

in almost every race he's competed in since November. He's been one of the top American finisher in all races. He is currently ranked third in the nation on the FIS point-ranking list.

Chamberlain's berth on the World Championship team has been a goal since he was a teenager. "Making the World Championship team is great," he said. "It's every bit as prestigious as making the Olympic team, as far as the level of competition."

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World Cup freestylers now at Sunday River

By ALISON ALOISIO

The World Cup of freestyle skiing, and two Olympic gold medalists, come to Sunday River this week, as the resort hosts the U.S. Freestyle National competition.

Moguls will ski the bumps on the White Heat trail, while aerialists will take flight from jumps located just above Barker Base Lodge.

The FIS Freestyle World Cup is the highest-level competition series in the sport. Events take place around the world from August through March, culminating in the World Cup Finals.

The Sunday River competition is the first freestyle World Cup event to be held in New England in nearly 20 years, and the first World Cup in any discipline at the Newry resort. Among those expected to compete are aerialist Eric Bergouet and moguls skier Donna Weinbrecht, both Olympic gold medalists. International competitors will include skiers from Finland and Belarus.

The aerialists launch themselves 50 feet or more into the air, while performing twists and flips. Moguls ski down an incline of 32 degrees, and perform two jumps along the way.

The public is invited to watch the skiers train Thursday and Friday. Moguls training will take place on White Heat from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m., and aerials at Barker from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. Non-skiers may board lift 9 at White Cap Lodge to watch the moguls skiing.

On Saturday, aerial qualifying events at Barker will begin at 9:45 a.m., with finals at 2 p.m. On Sunday, moguls qualifying competition starts at 10 a.m., with finals at 1 p.m.



Lordy, Lordy
Look Who's 40!

Happy Birthday
Nancy Forest

Brrrr!!!



Trina Boelsma, 16, emerges from Saturday's Polar Bear Plunge. More, page 9. (Photo by M. Daniels)

Photos, videos, articles and artifacts tell of rich ski tradition

By ALISON ALOISIO

"There seems to be more and more smiling faces coming to Mt. Abram. The brothers three are definitely convinced that they'll have to enlarge their lodge facilities next season. Do believe the sincerity and friendliness that prevails from the top of the mountain to the parking lot exit is the best form of publicity that can be had. One skier just Sun-

day said the Cross brothers should be personally thanked for the wonderful way they keep the trails groomed."

That was writer Cathy Bickford's description of Don, Stuart and Norton Cross' Locke Mills ski area in the Feb. 7, 1964 issue of "Ski News," the publication of the Maine Ski Council. Such memories

of the early days of winter recreation in the Bethel area are plentiful in a new exhibit at the Robinson House of the Bethel Historical Society.

Area residents have loaned everything from antique skis and sleds to old photos to old ski wax to news accounts of area skiing.

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January 31, 1924

Olympics launch first Winter Games

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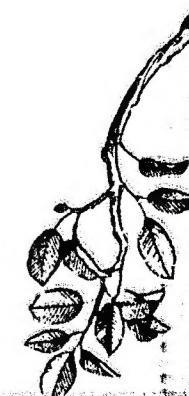
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Letters

WHAT MORE COULD I HAVE DONE?

To the Editor:

I am distressed at my depiction several weeks ago in the police log as an animal abuser, for many reasons that include the following:

1.) I left two cats (out of 15 cats and kittens that my daughter and I had rescued and found homes for) in my home with heat, food, water, sanitary outlet and I had made arrangements for a friend to check on them on a regular basis.

2.) My home lost electricity because of an exterior ice jam that resulted in flooding my home from the third floor to the basement. This condition was beyond my control or knowledge.

3.) After getting a message from my neighbor regarding the situation at my home I responded immediately.

4.) When informed by property management of the loss of heat, my first concern was for the welfare of the animals. I was assured that the cats were being well taken care of.

Can you think of anything else I could or should have done?

Question: Is the town of Bethel prepared to prosecute farm owners with "barn cats" who are routinely expected to survive with no food, noheat, no daily caretaker? Or is my case, even with the circumstances described above, going to be a selective enforcement?

I would also at this time like to thank my friends and neighbors for their support and help during this time.

Judi Berry
Bethel

GREENWOOD NOISE ORDINANCE

To the Editor:

Members of the Greenwood Planning Board are considering the proposal of a noise pollution ordinance for the town's approval. The purpose would be to protect residents from the undue disturbance of extremely loud, potentially injurious noise during certain hours (probably normal sleep time).

In the wording of such an ordinance, careful consideration would be applied to specifics such as: the intensity level of sound to be prohibited, the time duration of noise required to classify it prohibited, and the hours during which prohibition would be in effect.

Also, clearly, the enforcement of such an ordinance would require reliable, properly calibrated measurement and recording equipment operated by qualified individuals.

The board would very much like to entertain the response, pro or con, of Greenwood residents to the possible institution of such an ordinance. Any letters in that regard to Greenwood Planning Board at the Greenwood Town Office (875-2773) will be given thorough consideration.

Ed Cezare, For the Greenwood Planning Board

In Our Backyard:

Run Your Machine Clean

Winter is upon us, and with the weekly dustings of the white stuff, snowmobilers are out en masse. With over 12,000 miles of maintained snowmobile trails in Maine, it is no wonder this thrill sport has burgeoned in popularity over recent years. In the mid-1980s, snowmobiles registered in the state numbered around 50,000. Since then, registration has ballooned to over 80,000.

While many people enjoy the thrill of the ride, they are also concerned about snowmobile emissions and the effects the exhaust may have on their health and the natural areas they frequent. The two-stroke engines used in snow machines emit 20 to 33 percent of their fuel unburned. Most of the visible haze in two-stroke exhaust is from the lube oil, which is mixed directly in the gasoline.

Snowmobile emissions include carbon monoxide (CO), hydrocarbons (HC), particulate matter and toxic air pollutants. These pollutants can pose a health hazard to snowmobile riders and others in the area, especially to children, pregnant women, older people and those with cardiovascular disease or impaired lung function, such as asthma.

Other contaminants from two-stroke engines, such as benzene and toluene, can be found in the snow along trails. Come the spring thaw, the snowmelt may carry these pollutants with it, at levels toxic to aquatic microorganisms, possibly contaminating the rivers and lakes that many snowmobile enthusiasts return to for summer fishing.

Researchers in the Yellowstone National Park area have been searching for ways to clean up snow machines. Last March organizers held the Clean Snowmobile Challenge 2000 in which college students competed to design snow machines with lower emissions, higher fuel economy, and reduced noise, while maintaining performance capability. The winning team developed a machine with a four-stroke engine and a catalytic converter.

Snowmobile manufacturers are moving slowly to incorporate more efficient technology. Three companies have developed a snow machine with a four-stroke engine that reduces emissions and noise. However, only limited numbers of these models are currently available, in Montana, California, Minnesota and Michigan.

The United States Environmental Protection Agency has begun the process of developing rules that could reduce CO emissions by 50 percent and HC emissions by 60 percent or more in future models.

Until clean machines are available on the market, however, snowmobilers can take some steps to reduce emissions now. Installation of proper jets and proper clutch adjustments reduce fuel use and emissions of pollutants. A qualified mechanic can help with these adjustments.

Testing by the Montana Department of Environmental Quality found that synthetic low-particulate lube oils significantly reduce particulate emissions and smoke. The use of synthetic biodegradable lube oils along with a 10 percent ethanol blend fuel reduced carbon monoxide, particulate and unburned hydrocarbons, and is expected to reduce impacts on water quality. Snowmobile rental operators in Montana found that biodegradable lube oil and ethanol fuel also reduced maintenance costs and fuel consumption, eliminated carburetor freeze-up and increased power in their machines.

With more and more snowmobiles out on the trails, the future of this sport may depend on cleaner, quieter machines that protect the health of their riders and preserve good relationships with other winter recreationalists.

—Maine Department of Environmental Protection

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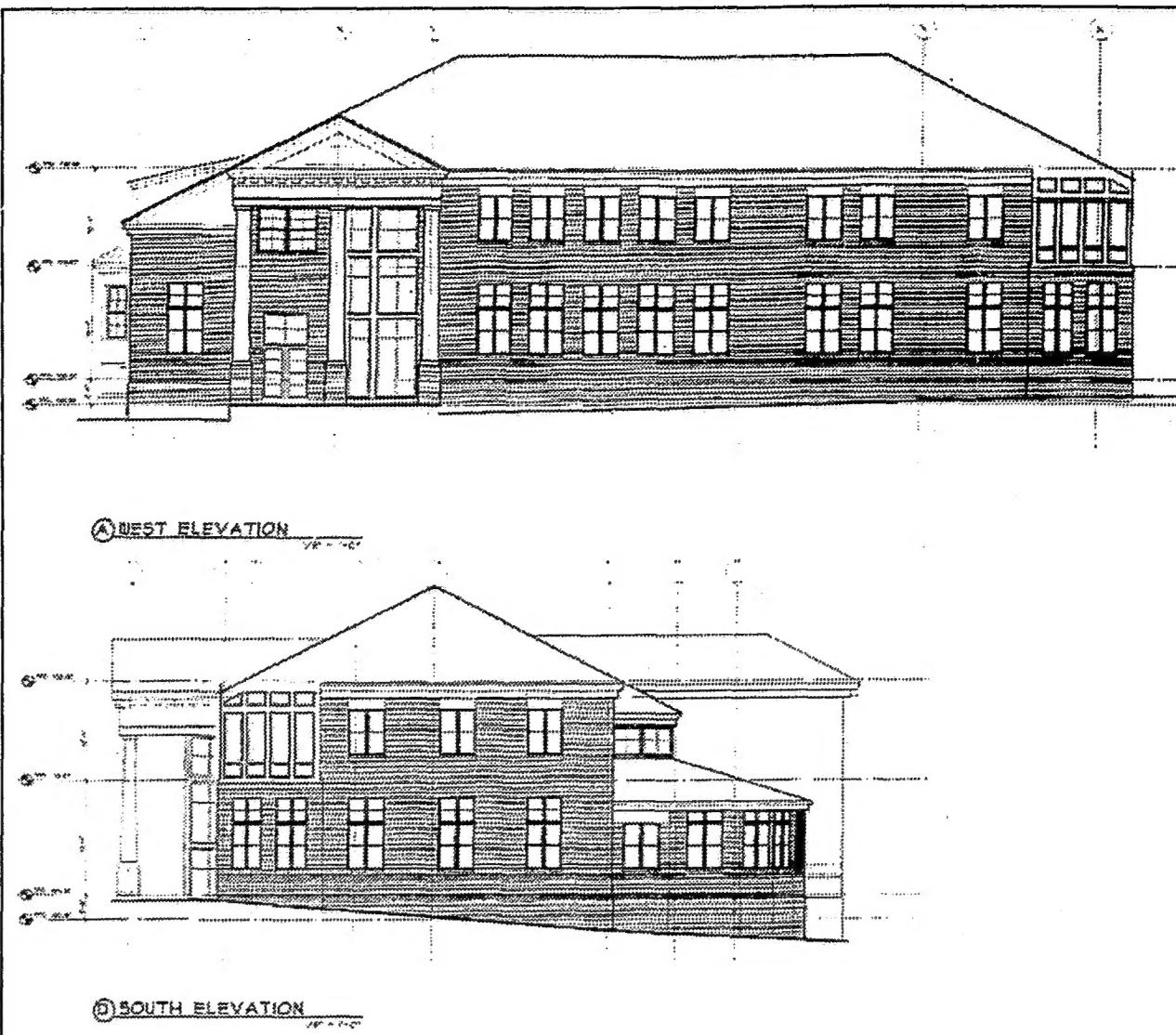
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MCLAUGHLIN SCIENCE BUILDING—A plan for a new 21,300-square-foot science building at Gould Academy was expected to be submitted to the Bethel Planning Board last night (Wednesday). The building, to be located on Elm Street next to the Oxford Telecom building, will house a 60-seat lecture hall and six classrooms/labs. The plan calls for construction to begin in April, with completion in July 2002.

Impact

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feet of forest products have been taken from the area in the past five years.

Whether there will be any future harvest cycles in that area may depend on whether it was "substantially altered" since it was first designated roadless back in the early 1980s. Areas qualifying as altered may be exempt from the ban, he said.

Millen said he does not know of any examples of what would represent substantial alterations of a roadless area. "Clarification may come from the Forest Plan when we identify the roadless characteristics present in the area," he said. A 10-year forest management planning process is currently underway. If harvesting alone is considered a substantial alteration, the Caribou-Speckled area might qualify for an exemption. No roads were built to carry on the logging operations, he said.

Another roadless area, in the Bog Brook Valley, might also be considered for "substantially altered" status. But a portion in the west end of Mason Township would likely not meet exclusion criteria, because there has been no wood harvesting or roadbuilding, Millen said.

If the USFS proposes future harvesting within any roadless area boundaries, it would follow existing regulations providing for public involvement and an analysis of environmental effects, Millen said.

Leon Favreau, president of Bethel Furniture Stock, said he opposes the roadless ban. "I don't think it's based on sound science and need," he said. "The White Mountain National Forest has some of the best timber around. It's unfortunate to let the wood go to waste."

Environmental groups supporting such a ban, he said, "have an insatiable desire to set land aside." Every time a group tries to stop timber cutting on public forests, he said, the process involved raises the cost of the harvesting.

The rule is beginning to hit home in New Hampshire. Some mills take as much as 25 percent of their logs off the National Forest each year, according to those in the industry. The new rule takes about five percent of the forest from the region's timber base.

William Meadows, president of the Wilderness Society, said of the logging ban, "From Florida to Alaska Americans can celebrate one of the nation's greatest environmental achievements as President Clinton and the Forest Service today (Jan. 5) protected nearly 60 million acres of the nation's wild forests from logging and other development. This sweeping new protection is important as the Clean Water Act, the Clean Air Act, and other environmental milestones."

Ecological reserve set aside here

A second new designation approved this month, this one from the Maine Bureau of Parks and Lands, establishes 13 tracts of land statewide as ecological reserves. Included is a 10,000-acre parcel in the Bethel area, in what is known as the Mahoosuc Unit (see map). It is not expected to have much effect on current activities on the land.

The 13 designated ecological reserves total 68,974 acres. The reserves will protect one or more natural ecosystems that are relatively undisturbed, and retain plant and animal communities native to Maine in their natural condition, according to the Bureau of Parks and Lands. The reserves "will serve

as benchmarks for comparison with managed lands, maintain habitats and provide opportunities for education, monitoring and research," according to BPL press release.

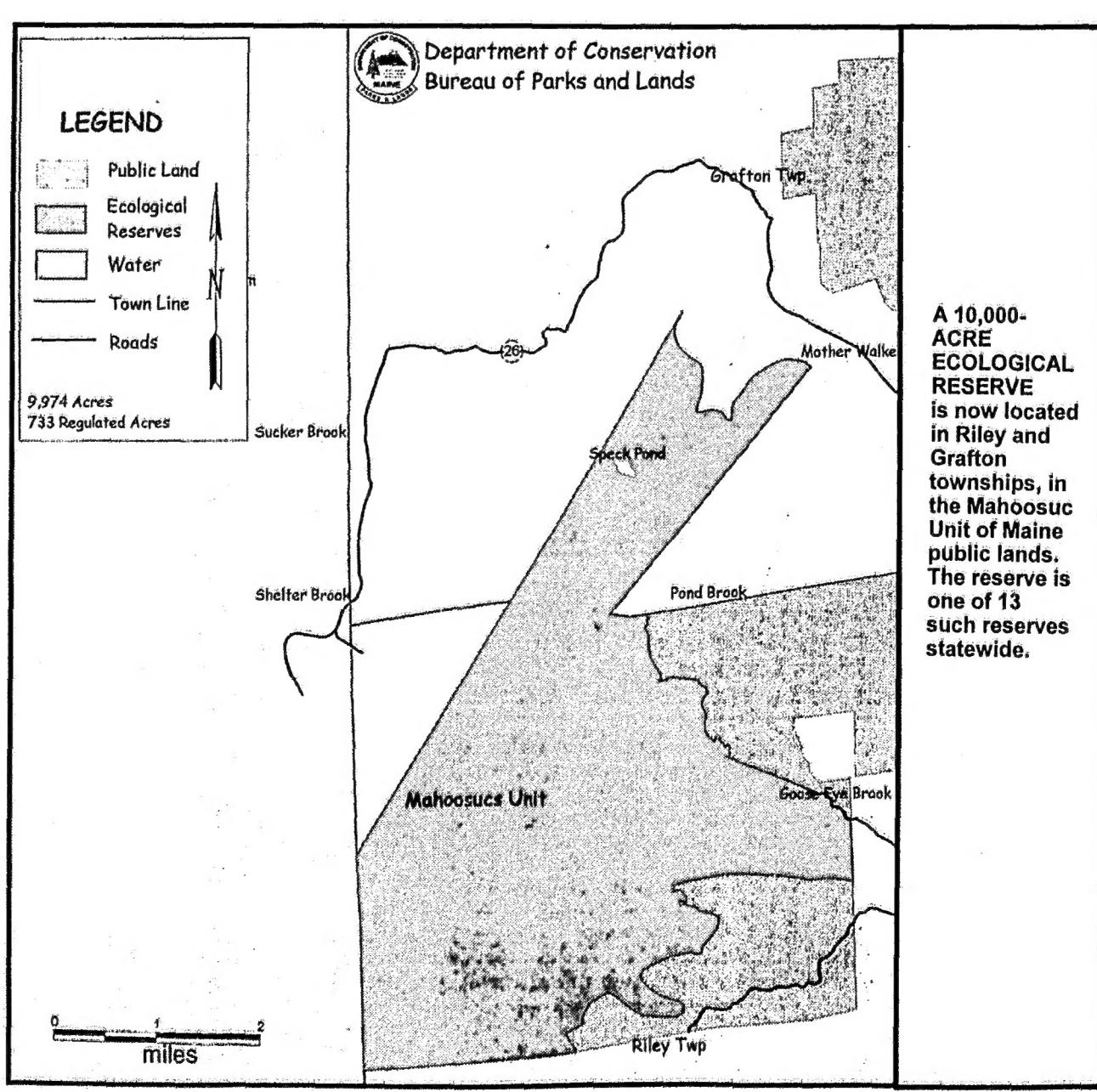
The Maine Legislature authorized the establishment of the reserves last year, with the provision that traditional uses including hiking, hunting and fishing continue. The Maine Natural Areas Program, the Department of Inland Fisheries and Wildlife and the state's scientific community will establish a monitoring plan for the areas. The research will have applications in a variety of areas, including land management and habitat restoration.

The natural features were identified during a statewide inventory of ecological significant areas conducted from 1995 to 1998 on public and private conservation land.

The legislation allows research, education and non-motorized recreation activities to continue. Use of existing snowmobile and ATV trails may continue if impacts to the ecological values are minimal.

Commercial mining, timber harvesting, and commercial sand and gravel excavation are uses that the legislation deemed incompatible with the purposes of the ecological reserves and are not allowed. BPL said 69 percent of the areas are not capable of sustained timber harvesting because of elevation, slope or wetlands and water.

There is currently no logging taking place on the Mahoosuc Unit tract, according to Joe Wiley of BPL. Most of the area in the reserve is in higher elevations along the Appalachian Trail, with a portion extending along the Goose Eye Brook area, he said.



Our

Back

Pages

Compiled by JOHN BROWN

10 years ago: According to educational consultants, the plan of the Newry Educational Committee to withdraw from SAD44 had received tentative approval at the state level.

Biathlon run and the L.L. Bean Cross Country Ski Festival drew enthusiastic crowds to the Gould Academy campus.

Much of the first floor was destroyed by fire at the home of Charles and Pat Blake on Riverside Drive. The remainder of the dwelling sustained extensive smoke and water damage. Mrs. Blake suffered burns on her hands and arms.

Births: Kristilee Louise White, Cassandra Lynn Roberts.

Deaths: Thelma Cooper Van Den Kerckhoven, George W. Bennett.

20 years ago: Ted Prime of Glens Falls, N.Y., a student at Gould Academy, was the winner of the Mel Jodrey Trophy Race at Sunday River.

In basketball action, the Telstar boys' squad defeated Rangeley 57-52.

Gould's Lady Huskies defeated St. Doms of Lewiston 43-26 in hoop competition.

Mr. and Mrs. Gardner Gorman observed their 35th wedding anniversary with a reception at the Mundt-Allen Post American Legion Hall on Vernon Street.

Deaths: Albert F. Clark, Otis L. Cobb, Christine Chapman McCoy.

30 years ago: Candidates for queen of the Bethel Winter Carnival to be held in early March were Mary Cummings, Christine Grover, Bonnie Mills, Gail McInnis and Dorene Tibbets, all Telstar students, and Eve Schultz, a student at Gould Academy.

A demonstration by Operations Detachment A with equipment layout, Co. C, 10th Special Forces Group, Airborne, Fort Devens, Mass., was presented in the gymnasium at Telstar Regional High School. Much of the winter training and equipment was explained. The troops participating were from the group who had been training in downhill skiing at the Sunday River Skiway.

Over 70 attended a reception for the Rev. Lester Strout of the Andover Cavalry Congregational Church at the Andover Town Hall.

Miss Beth Sargent was spending a semester break vacation in Chamonix, France with a group of college students enjoying skiing in the French Alps.

Deaths: Christine Mann Shields, Samuel S. Poor, Marle A. Cox.

40 years ago: Howard Cole and Norman Greig purchased the Hotel Sudbury from Mr. and Mrs. Norman Johnson. Wallace Kilgore, formerly of Poplar Tavern in Newry, had started the business 50 years before as the Maple Inn. Before being renamed Hotel Sudbury, the hotel was known as the Gateway House.

Stanley E. Davis was recognized as an Outstanding Young Man of the Year at the annual awards dinner of the Maine Junior Chamber of Commerce.

Temperatures of 25 below zero were prevalent as winter continued its grip on the area.

Petitions were presented to Union 22 superintendent, Eric Sahlberg, in support of driver training. The Bethel PTA went on record as supporting the Driver Education Program in the town of Bethel.

Birth: Danielle Mason.

Deaths: Gertrude Stuart, Dr. Arthur L. Walters.

50 years ago: Victor Brooks escaped with head injuries when he jumped from a tractor he was driving as it was struck by a freight train at Chadbourne's Mill in South Bethel. A part of the tractor that was hauling lumber to a yard across the tracks struck Mr. Brooks. He was making an excellent recovery.

Gould's basketballers had a pair of losses, dropping a 60-38 contest to Guilford, and trailing South Paris by nine in a 50-41 contest.

The Gould skiers were victorious in a triangular three-event meet, leading Lyndon Institute and the Dartmouth Freshmen.

Thirteen year old Robert Mason suffered several fractured vertebrae when he jumped from the roof when fire broke out in the kitchen of the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Gleason, West Paris, where he was boarding.

Births: Deborah Ellen Kneeland, Chester Stephen Wheeler.

Deaths: Linwood Paul Jackson, James S. Jackson, Donald H. Bean.

100 years ago: Seventy-five men cleared wreckage from the railroad tracks following the recent two-train collision in South Bethel.

The chair factory whistle was back on schedule.

The coroner's inquest on the railroad disaster was held at Odeon Hall.

Death: Myrtle Yates Wheeler.

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Briefly

Saunders Bros. doesn't want dam

GREENWOOD—The president of Saunders Brothers, owners of Gilbert Manufacturing, said last week he does not wish to own the Locke Mills Dam. But Clyde Pingree said he would contribute to upgrading the dam, and maintaining it. Recent inspections of the structure showed the beams on both sides need to be shored up, the sluice gate should be fixed, and an Emergency Action Plan created. Duane Gilbert, who formerly owned Gilberts, is the current owner of the dam. He has not made any effort to meet the inspection directives.

BDC dial-up accounts stop Feb. 1

BETHEL—Bethel Data Corporation dial-up accounts will no longer work as of Feb. 1, following the transfer of the accounts to CommTel, a statewide Internet service provider. According to Dutch Dresser, BDC chair, the BDC server will no longer receive or send mail for users, and any mail files on the server on that date will be irretrievably removed. Dresser recommends BDC subscribers ensure they have taken all data they wish to preserve off the server before then. Subscribers will receive services from CommTel through the period for which they have paid BDC, without further billing. After that time, users must make their own arrangements for service with CommTel or another provider.

Region 9 staff gets raise

MEXICO—Staff members of the Region 9 vocational school will get a 4 percent salary increase for the next fiscal year, following a vote by the board governing the school. The increase is based on the average salary increase and benefits schedule given to teachers from the region's three sending school districts (SAD44, SAD43 and SAD21). The salary agreement will also allow staff members with families to have 90 percent of their health insurance premiums paid by the region.

Bethel Inn popular nationwide

BETHEL—The Bethel Inn and Country Club ranks among the finest resorts in North America, according to a reader poll conducted by Conde Nast Traveler Magazine. The publication recently named the top ski resorts, and the inn ranked as the number three resort in the Eastern U.S. and 34th overall. The inn was also recognized for its fine dining, ranking first in the state of Maine and 21st in North America. Readers of the magazine evaluated 158 resorts in the U.S. and Canada, and were asked by an independent polling firm to rate resorts using six criteria: ski terrain and conditions, accommodations, town ambience and amenities, lifts and lines, food service.

Get a new identity

BETHEL—A Bethel consulting firm is suggesting the region come up with a new name and larger sense of connected community in order to accelerate economic growth. Jay Hardy, of NEW Solutions said "SAD44" is not "sexy enough" and "the Bethel area" is too exclusive. Hardy was among two dozen representatives of business, education and government communities who gathered to discuss ideas at a meeting of the Bethel Area Chamber of Commerce Subcommittee on Economic Development last week. Other suggestions included determining an entity to maintain the region's economic growth vision, choose three to four major projects or priorities for the region and establish clearly defined lines of action.

Remember to license Fido

GREENWOOD—Town Manager Carol Whitman said residents are reminded that dog licenses expire Jan. 31. Beginning on Feb. 1, an additional late fee of \$5 will be charged.

Flying Moose Classic

BETHEL—The Flying Moose Classic cross-country ski race will take place Sunday, Feb. 4 with an informal and low-key 10-kilometer event. Hosted by the Bethel Outing Club, the classical technique citizens' race takes place on the Gould Academy Trail system on the Grover Hill Road. Entrants will start in waves beginning at 11 a.m. For children, there will be two options on gentler terrain: timed one-kilometer event, as well as a very short untimed "lollipop" loop. Awards for all events will be presented at Gould following the children's events. Sign-in and race-day registration will take place from 9 to 10:30 a.m. at Gould on Church Street. Registrations may be mailed to: Race Secretary, Bethel Outing Club, P.O. Box 637, Bethel, ME 04217, with checks payable to the Bethel Outing Club. The children's event registration fee is \$4. For the 10k Moose, the fee is \$12 for entries received on or before Feb. 3, and \$15.00 thereafter.

Ski the poop loop

RUMFORD—Black Mountain is now offering a new program for dogs and their humans. The "Doggie Poop Loop" is a daily designated cross-country ski trail where dogs are welcome. The trail is open beginning at 4 p.m. Thursday through Sunday. Dogs are encouraged to bring their humans for ski touring and ski touring. The cost is \$3 for each dog and human, with rentals available for an additional \$3. Baggies are provided for trail waste. For more information call 364-8977 ext. 14.

Wal-Mart plans approved

MEXICO—A proposed Super Wal-Mart received site review and shoreland zoning approval recently from the Mexico Planning Board. If plans proceed as expected, groundbreaking for the store will take place in late March or early April. The project is currently awaiting permits from the Maine departments of Environmental Protection and Transportation. The \$7 million facility will provide employment for 140 full-time and 60 part-time workers, and is expected to open in September or early October. It will be located on a 13-acre parcel east of the village on Route 2.

Norway fisherman killed

PORTSMOUTH, N.H.—The Coast Guard is investigating a boating accident that claimed the life of a Maine man. Edgar McLean III of Norway was killed Friday night in an accident on The Big Dreamer off the coast of Portsmouth, N.H. He was hauling in a catch on the 60-foot stern trawler when he became caught in a winch, the Coast Guard said. The accident happened shortly before 6 p.m. The boat is registered in Portland.

Tech foundation launches Web site

AUGUSTA—The Maine Science and Technology Foundation unveiled the state's new Web-based clearinghouse of science and technology information at a news conference with Gov. Angus King and legislative leaders. The Web site — www.mainscience.org — creates a single portal site for businesses, researchers, educators, students and the public looking for information about science and technology in Maine. The idea for the clearinghouse originated in 1997 when a special commission reviewed the state's high technology industries. The commission offered recommendations for improving Maine's ability to attract and retain high-tech industry. It proposed creating a clearinghouse to serve as a single source of information for persons developing high-tech businesses in the state. The site lists technology-intensive business and showcases some of their successes, lists links to job opportunities and identifies educational institutions that offer courses in science and technology-related subjects, as well as links to science resources for teachers and educational information for students.

From the Bethel Police Log:

Police help out in Albany

At 2:21 p.m. on Jan. 19 police received notification of an accident on Route 5 in Bethel. The officer then found a vehicle off the road in Albany. State police were notified, but requested the Bethel officer to get information as the trooper was en route to another accident. The officer then drove the driver to Bethel to meet a relative.

Thursday, Jan. 18

At 9 a.m. police observed a subject on Route 2 with an expired inspection sticker. The officer stopped the vehicle, and issued Sunday River Skiway Corp. a summons for permitting unlawful use of a motor vehicle. The driver was given warnings for operating an unregistered motor vehicle and failure to produce a valid insurance card.

At 7 p.m. police summonsed Joseph T. Vedella, 47, of Bethel on Railroad Street for operating after suspension, operating an unregistered motor vehicle and failure to display a certificate of inspection. He had operated his vehicle to the gas station for fuel.

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DAVID CHAMBERLAIN OF BETHEL skied to victory in this Nor/AM race, a night sprint held at the end of November in British Columbia. Hard training, focused preparation, and consistent racing garnered Chamberlain a berth on the American Ski Team's Nordic World Championship Team. Chamberlain will compete against the world's best Nordic racers in the World Championship in Finland next month.

Chamberlain

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The World Championship is held every other year, sandwiching Olympic years. It is the culminating event in World Cup racing.

If Chamberlain keeps skiing this fast, he may find himself living another dream — competing for the U.S. in the 2002 Olympics in Salt Lake City.

"I'm definitely focused on making the Olympic team," he said. "It just depends on how well I'm skiing next year."

This week, though, Chamberlain's focus is strictly on Finland. "It's great to be headed to Finland," he said.

Supporting a racing career

Part of the joy of going to the World Cup will be the crowd. In Finland, more than 100,000 spectators will line the course. Nordic skiing at this level attracts the kind of attention in Europe that the Superbowl or World Series attracts here.

The lack of attention the sport receives in the U.S. makes funding a racing career difficult. "A constant concern is coming up with the funding for the next race," he said.

Chamberlain has a number of sponsors that supply his equipment, including Fischer, Solomon, Swix, and Louis Garneau.

The World Championship races are funded by the U.S. ski team. But Chamberlain must pay for airfare and lodging to attend other races.

He receives financial support from Bangor Savings Bank. Their Website, Bangorsavings.com, features exclusive updates and photos that Chamberlain posts from race sites around the world, background information, and a race schedule.

Locally, Chamberlain also receives financial and moral support from the Bethel Outing Club.

"They've given me incredible support," he said. "They've given me funding help, but more important is the support of the members, and in a bigger way, the support of the Bethel and Gould communities. Everyone around here helps tremendously."

A juggling act

Chamberlain races nearly every weekend through the racing season,

which extends from late November through the end of March. He trains full-time year-round. During the school year, he also works at Gould Academy as assistant athletic director.

Combine travel and training with teaching, and he's got a full schedule.

His job at Gould Academy provides him with a source of income, and allows him to work around his race schedule. In exchange, the school has a top-notch assistant athletic director, and a world-class athlete as a role model living on campus.

"I live in the dorm," Chamberlain said. "We get pretty involved in the each other's lives. My lifestyle is pretty visible to the students. They see that I'm the earliest in bed and up early training in the morning. They see my focus on nutrition and rest, and the sacrifices I make."

Balancing it all is difficult, leaving little time for things like eating.

"I need to consume 4,000 to 6,000 calories a day," he said. "One of my biggest concerns is that I eat enough. It's easy to not have time to replenish all that I'm losing. I'm always catching up with the calories I'm burning. I'm always hungry."

A grueling race weekend — where Chamberlain might compete in three or more races — burns those calories. Rigorous year-round training burns them, as well.

Training full time

Chamberlain began training full time while attending Mount Blue High School in Wilton. He graduated in '94, after becoming State Champion and attending the Junior Olympics.

He continued his training regimen while attending Bates College, where he graduated in 1998 as an All American.

Since coming to Gould that same year, he hasn't let up on his training.

To build endurance, he cycles in the spring and early summer. Roller-skis provide a method for keeping in top Nordic shape when there isn't any snow on the ground. He also hikes the local hills.

Chamberlain used to run for endurance. Recently, he's cut back

due to a slight tear in the meniscus in his right knee. ("It doesn't affect my skiing," he said.)

In the fall, he focuses on specific training such as interval work, speed work, and hill bounding. For his final training before the race season he travels to the snow. This season, he went to Fairbanks, Alaska at the beginning of November.

He also spent two weeks during the summer training with the U.S. development team in Utah. But most of the hard work is done here in Bethel.

"I train with Pat Cote under Dick Taylor," he said. "But most of my training is done by myself."

Now, the years of hard training, focus, and dedication are paying off. Chamberlain is racing in the top tier of men's Nordic racing, where the pressure is intense.

Race day worries

Despite all the training and preparation there are still plenty of things that can go wrong. This happened a few weeks ago in Utah, when Chamberlain came down with the flu.

"It was very disappointing," he said. "My first World Cup start, and I had to sit on the sidelines for my first two races because I was sick."

Beyond fears of illness and injury, Chamberlain must deal with the pressures he puts on himself, as well.

"I get nervous at races like the U.S. Nationals because a lot of things ride on those races. Some pressure is good; it helps you focus."

"Skiing at the World Cup, I'll probably feel the least amount of pressure," he said. "I don't have many expectations of how I'll do because I've never raced at that level before."

But when the pressure does mount, Chamberlain has a way to cope.

"I focus on what I know how to do — to get ready for a race and race fast."

"I ski race because I enjoy it. On race day, I focus on the things I enjoy, and let the pressures of points and rankings slip to the back of my mind."

Solid waste

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"Overdrafts are easy to justify when legal exigencies force overdrafts you can't avoid, but this doesn't feel the same to me," said Dresser.

Selectmen Reggie Brown questioned the need for more hours.

"It's been those same hours for umpteen years," he said.

But Cole noted that until the recent move of the recycling containers from the Bethel Airport to the Route 2 location, residents had been able to recycle on a 24/7 basis, but now they can do so only 13 hours a week.

The SWR Board felt the extra hours were now needed to encourage recycling, he said.

The selectmen ultimately tabled the matter and instructed Cole to come back with a proposal for paying for the additional hours.

Reject extra share of costs

The board members were even less enthusiastic about the SRW Board's second proposal: increasing slightly Bethel's share of the cost of disposing of metal waste and construction debris.

Under the terms of the recent agreement that formed the three-town operation, Bethel would pay 77 percent of the overall cost of operating the joint facility, Newry would pay 13 percent and Hanover 10 percent.

Those figures were to be adjusted, based on actual usage, at the end of a year.

But citing new figures on population for the three towns, the SRW Board proposed immediately increasing Bethel's share of the metal and construction debris portion to 79.4 percent, and reducing Newry's and Hanover's share to, respectively, 11.5 and 9.1 percent.

The actual difference in what Bethel would pay annually under the proposed arrangement is small — approximately \$1,000 out of a total solid waste budget of \$300,000, Cole said — but the timing did not sit well with the selectmen.

"The timing strikes me as pretty crumbly," said Dresser. "We get the thing passed through and they raise Bethel's rates immediately."

"We're being made to look the fools. We all agreed to a deal and we've only barely consummated that deal and it comes back changed two weeks later," he said. "I won't vote for that. It seems to me that if you present something to people and it says this is how the costs are going to be allocated, and we'll check it again in a year, then you ought to check it again in a year."

Asked if he had voted for the proposed change at the SRW meeting, Cole said he had. "I voted for it because fair's fair, and that's the way it is. The numbers are the numbers," he said.

The selectmen, however, voted unanimously against the change, but indicated they would be willing to look again at each town's share after the agreed-upon year of joint operation.

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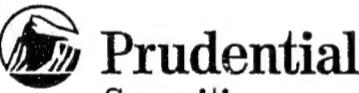
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Exhibit

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An early pair of cross-country skis, provided by Steve Wight, is about eight feet long — but one ski is longer than the other. The longer ski was used for gliding, while the short ski was used for the "kick." Other skis include a Paris Manufacturing Co. pair from the 1930s and a pair of 1920s skis used in the Olympics.

There are also original brochures, posters and postcards depicting a young Sunday River ski area, and newspaper accounts of ski competitions held in the area.

The contributions, said Randy Bennett, assistant director/curator of the Bethel Historical Society,

"are the tip of the iceberg. People have some wonderful things. The Bethel area has a long winter heritage."

Contributors include Lainey Cross, Mark Hiebert, Danna and George Nickerson, Jack Brooks, Mike and Connie Thurston, Nan Timberlake, Bill and Nancy White, Sherry and Fuzzy Thurston, Steve Wight, Mo Ginter, Mari Grover, Kevin Slater and Polly Mahoney, Liz Como and Andy Chakoumakos, Becky Secret and Sunday River Ski Resort.

In addition to ski "artifacts," there is also video. Lainey Cross contributed an old film of the early days of

Mt. Abram. There are also clips of the early rope tow on Vernon Street in Bethel, circa 1948-59, and a series of interviews by Nan Timberlake on skiing in the area.

Less local but still relevant are "Thrills and Spills in the North Country" and "Legends of American Skiing, 1849-1940." "Thrills and Spills," for example, shows early daredevils skiing behind horses and a pontoon plane.

The exhibit was organized primarily by the Bethel Area Chamber of Commerce, as part of the Celebration of Winter 2001. It will be open until Feb. 24 on Wednesdays and Saturdays, 1 to 4 p.m.

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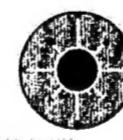
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Bethel



by
Virginia Keniston
Carolyn Gould
is at home re-
covering from
recent heart
surgery at
Maine Medical
Center in Portland.

Jen Shaw was at Bromley, Vt., for a two-day snowboarding clinic this past week.

In response to the story about the book, "A Heritage of Songs," by Miss Ann Griggs, I had a call from Carolyn Colby, who reported that Carrie B. Grover was her grandmother. Mrs. Grover's husband was Almon, brother to Eli. Carrie's maiden name was Spinney, a violinist who graduated from Gould Academy in 1895.

Don and Connie Vautour of Waterville were weekend guests of Reggie and Linda Westleigh.

Last Saturday, many family and friends of Stephanie Corriveau and Jim Westleigh honored them with a surprise housewarming at their newly purchased home in Shelburne, N.H.

Tim Brooks is gaining slowly from his recent accident.

Dottie Bean is recuperating at the home of her son, Harlan and Kathy Bean in South Paris.

Dotti Duddy has opened a real estate business, Duddy Realty, at the corner of Main and Chapman streets.

Eileen Opie's father, Bill Opie, arrived Wednesday from Butte, Mont., to spend some time with her and granddaughter, Marta Jean.

Bethel House

by Ruth Cummings
I watched our new president being sworn into office and also listened to his address. Let us all hope and pray and have faith that things can improve for us a lot, in Social Security, Medicare and Medicaid drugs and the school system and all other things.

It was eight below zero here on my thermometer one morning, and Drew Webster said it was the same at his place on Vernon Street. However, Warren Powers said it was 16 below at his house on that same morning.

Carroll Bean brought his wife, Bea, home from Ledgeview so she could have dinner with him on Saturday.

Cathy Newell visited with me on Saturday.

Nancy Cummings reports more birds at her feeders now.

The other day when Cathy Newell and I were coming home from Wal-Mart I saw that the Bertha Flanders' house in Locke Mills had been torn down. In the history of

Greenwood it stated that it was one of the oldest houses in Greenwood, being built in early 1800. I remember of Rhoda Goss living in the house, and an Edna Morse also lived there at one time. A lot of houses have been torn down in Locke Mills in the past 60 years.

Olive Williams and Rebecca Ricker were in Norway recently and they also went to Wal-Mart.

Sarah Stevens also reports more birds at her feeders.

Drew and Judy Webster, also Olive Williams, visited me recently and Becky is in nearly every day to see if I need anything at the store and to get my mail.

Not a week goes by but I get a notice from someone that needs money and oftentimes there are some return address labels or maybe note cards enclosed. They are free, but if I could send money it sure would help the cause. Sometimes I do send money but cannot do it often. The other day I sent some money and in a few days got a thank you with a note in it that said if I could afford \$15 or \$20 more next time they would appreciate it. Well, at this point I do not think there will be a next time.

Mrs. and Mrs. Mark Jkellman and family were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Drew Webster and attended the Bethel Alliance Church on Sunday.

Ever hear of the one that could

eat the ears off an acre of corn?

Nancy Buswell is a patient at Maine Medical Center, 22 Bramhall Street, Portland, ME 04101.

She is in room 421 and has a telephone by her bed. Just dial 871-3663 and she will answer. Best to call after 10 a.m. She is gaining now but may be there for a while yet.

Dot Bean is gaining but will be

with her son and his wife, Harlan and Kathy Bean, for a while yet.

She has a fracture in the front part of her leg. She did not fall, but because of brittle bones it just fractured. I am sure she would enjoy cards, also.

Pastor Rick's message for Sunday, Jan. 14, was part I of "Money Matters — What?"

Len and Cathy Hoy were at the Bethel Alliance Church on Sunday.

Cathy played the piano. I hope they

decide to join us on a regular basis.

They were at the Christmas party at the Royers' and seemed to really

enjoy themselves.

The Bethel Area Poets Society

will meet this Thursday, Jan. 25,

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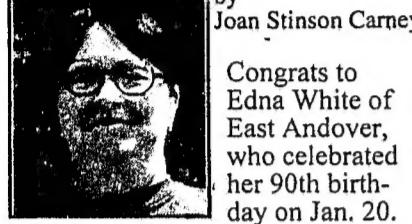
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Worcester, at Rumford Community Hospital on Saturday, Jan. 13 at 4:40 p.m. Now at home, Kaylynn joins her big sister, Ashley, age 3. Grandparents are Jennith and Cris Glover and Donna and Clem Worcester. Great-grandparents are Lilla Gillis, Evelyn and David Le-Clare, Alyce Peare and Louise Worcester.

Marty and Pam Morgan have returned home following a warm-weather winter vacation.

Central Maine Power Company is placing new poles along Route 2 at Rumford Point, causing occasional traffic slowdowns. The project will move power lines to the other side of the highway and away from the embankment that is collapsing into the Androscoggin River near the confluence with Ellis River.

Andover



by
Joan Stinson Carney

Congrats to Edna White of East Andover, who celebrated her 90th birthday on Jan. 20.

She received, among other presents, two birthday cakes, beautiful flowers and lots of visitors.

Congratulations, also, to the AES Geography Spelling Bee winner, Mark Emerson. He will be taking a school-level test which will be sent to Washington, D.C., for the final level of the competition. I wish him well.

Betty Moore entertained her granddaughter, Kristina Gerlorin, and her son-in-law, Robert, for a few days recently.

Last week, I made the big mistake of turning on the radio while I was getting ready for work and heard the weather report for the upcoming week — snow, snow and more snow was predicted. So, while I was getting dressed, I thought up the following poem. Guess what? It worked; we didn't get all that ugly white stuff that had been forecast. So I now consider this poem a good luck charm against snow. As you will be able to tell, my mentor, Dr. Seuss, had a lot to do with the "iambic pentameter," if that's the right phrase. Whatever — here it is:

I do not like it when it snows/I do not like it when it blows/I do not like it when it falls/I do not shape it into balls/I hate to shovel, hate to ski/And snowmobile — not for me/I cannot think of any good/That



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Front (from left): Richard Halacy, Mike Halacy, Dan Myers, Crawford Perry; second row: John Halacy, Bill Myers, Scott Fraser; third row: Jack Brooks, Ken Grover, Bill Cousins, Colwyn Haskell.

bridge River drilling holes in the ice. His plumage varies and he's been known to shiver quite often. His beak may be red or blue. His diet consists of Dunkin Doughnuts washed down with quantities of hot coffee. He is a very interesting bird to be sure.

Bryant Pond

by Alice Hoyt
Patch the Pirate Club meets each Wednesday evening at 6:30 p.m., same time as prayer meeting, at the Baptist Church. Sunday services are Fellowship time at 8:45 a.m., Sunday School and Adult Bible Fellowship at 9:15 a.m., morning service at 10:30 a.m. and evening service at 6 p.m. Choir practice is at 4:45 p.m. Sunday.

The Woodstock-Greenwood Senior Citizens will meet on Feb. 1 at the town annex for a potluck dinner and Valentine Party. Each one is to bring his/her own place setting and a dish to share; hot dish, salad or dessert. Each one is to make a valentine box for a contest. The meeting starts at 11:30 a.m.

Franklin Grange 124 will have a potluck supper at 6 p.m. on Feb. 5 with a Valentine's Day program.

At the January meeting of the Historical Society, Linda MacGregor, who helped get "Rumford Stories" published, spoke to the members about what she did in order to get the book printed. The Society had been considering publishing Ruby Emery's "Hamilton's Gore," and they decided in the business meeting to go ahead. Much thanks to Elsie and Larry Bonney for all their work on the project. The meeting was at the home of Evelyn Bean, and next month the meeting will be at the same location with Ruth Cox talking about something relating to her Junk Museum. Refreshments were provided by Elsie Bonney and Mary Billings, and Larry Billings gave Mrs. Bean some flowers for the evening.

My friend, the mink, returned and stole the whole suet ball. He then departed to swamps unknown with his booty. I miss the vicious little guy. He was very entertaining. One day I saw him hanging by his teeth from the suet. He had a great grip and thank goodness it wasn't the seat of someone's pants. I hung another suet ball yesterday. The Woodpeckers head for the suet as soon as he leaves. He makes it rough and easy for them to peck. The food chain in Upton is very active. Could "Mink Watching" be the predecessor to Cabin Fever?

The "Birds of the Week" are everyone's favorites — the downy and hairy woodpeckers. Get out your trusty guides and read about them.

We have another species of bird in the area this week. He can be found at the mouth of the Cam-

comes with snow — I wish I could/And as for fishing under ice/How could that be very nice?/I wish that I could move away/And have a nice, warm, sunny day/But as of now that cannot be/Alas, alas, for poor, poor me.

I know there are a lot of people out there who will not agree with my sentiments on the subject of how much snow is enough snow, and that's okay. Get a column of your own and rebut me, or send hate mail. Just be sure to include some news.

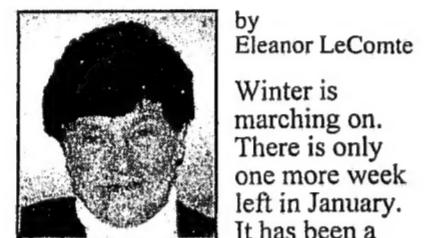
You still have some time left until Jan. 31 to make your dogs legal. After that, watch out for Dan Perry.

And don't forget that on Jan. 30, at the Town Hall, we will have a public hearing. It starts at 6 p.m.

The word for the week is drivel. What I write most of the time. Look it up. See ya.

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Upton



by
Eleanor LeComte

Winter is marching on. There is only one more week left in January. It has been a cold, snowy and beautiful month.

Winter sports of course predominated during the weekend. To each his own whether it be cross-country skiing, snowshoeing, ice fishing, snowmobiling, or just curling up in front of the fire with a good book. I opted for the last one.

I had a phone call from Sylvia Wright of Newry, formerly of Upton, informing me of the deaths of the Rev. Norman Scruton and his wife, Marion. We will miss their annual visit, for they were a regular part of the summer scene. Even though they were both over eighty, they could be seen portaging a canoe overland or paddling up the lake to a favorite camping spot, at

sunset. They were truly one with nature. The Reverend Scruton served the spiritual needs of this area many years ago. He was the last pastor to the Umbagog Inter-state Parish, which served Upton, Newry and Errol. This parish was founded in 1926. The Scrutons also provided lands that will be forever wild in Upton. Our sympathy is extended to their family and our thanks for the privilege to have known this wonderful couple.

Our sympathy is also extended to the family of Elwin Brown Jr., former resident of Upton, who is well remembered by some of the older residents.

The "Rug Rats Skiing Program," taught by the teachers and students of Gould Academy, is alive and well. It is a great program and the children, beneficiaries of it, think it's great. Rodney Harris, Lisa and Michelle Aron, Jennifer and Tyler Aldrich participate and enjoy learning the fine points of skiing very much. Who knows which one will be a World Cup Champion some day.

The dog-licensing deadline ended Dec. 31 and the grace period ends Jan. 31. Walter Stanczyk, the town clerk, will be on hand Friday, Jan. 26 from 8 to 10 a.m. to register our canine friends. Felines need not apply.

My friend, the mink, returned and stole the whole suet ball. He then departed to swamps unknown with his booty. I miss the vicious little guy. He was very entertaining. One day I saw him hanging by his teeth from the suet. He had a great grip and thank goodness it wasn't the seat of someone's pants. I hung another suet ball yesterday. The Woodpeckers head for the suet as soon as he leaves. He makes it rough and easy for them to peck. The food chain in Upton is very active. Could "Mink Watching" be the predecessor to Cabin Fever?

The "Birds of the Week" are everyone's favorites — the downy and hairy woodpeckers. Get out your trusty guides and read about them.

We have another species of bird in the area this week. He can be found at the mouth of the Cam-

The Way I See It

by Sharon Bouchard

Sharon Bouchard's column is published here by special arrangement with the Advertising Department of this newspaper.

Have you ever noticed that there are certain foods that don't taste like they used to?

changed from a strong, creamy sweet taste to the tasteless spread it is today. I just can't understand it.

Remember how chocolate milk used to taste? Remember when it was rich and thick and had a true chocolate flavor? Well, it doesn't anymore. It still looks like it should taste like it used to, but it doesn't.

I come from a long line of milk drinkers, and as a kid, chocolate milk was a real special treat. There are certain things that are perfectly complimented by a cold glass of chocolate milk. It goes so well with a grilled hot dog on a toasted bun or chocolate chip cookies warm from the oven. White milk is, of course, good with these things, but chocolate milk, ah, the piece de resistance.



It doesn't taste like bologna. It doesn't even smell like bologna.

the subtle aroma. Unfortunately, the flavor sensation is only a memory because butter doesn't taste like that anymore. In fact, it barely tastes at all.

I don't know how or why the dairy industry took a natural, wholesome gift of nature and ruined it, but they did. It's a sad commentary on our times when imitation artificial spreads taste more like butter than butter tastes like butter.

Another food product that's been tampered with is soda crackers. This is a pretty simple food; some flour, a little baking soda, shortening for texture, water for moisture and salt for flavor, roll them, cut them and bake them. How can they screw that up?

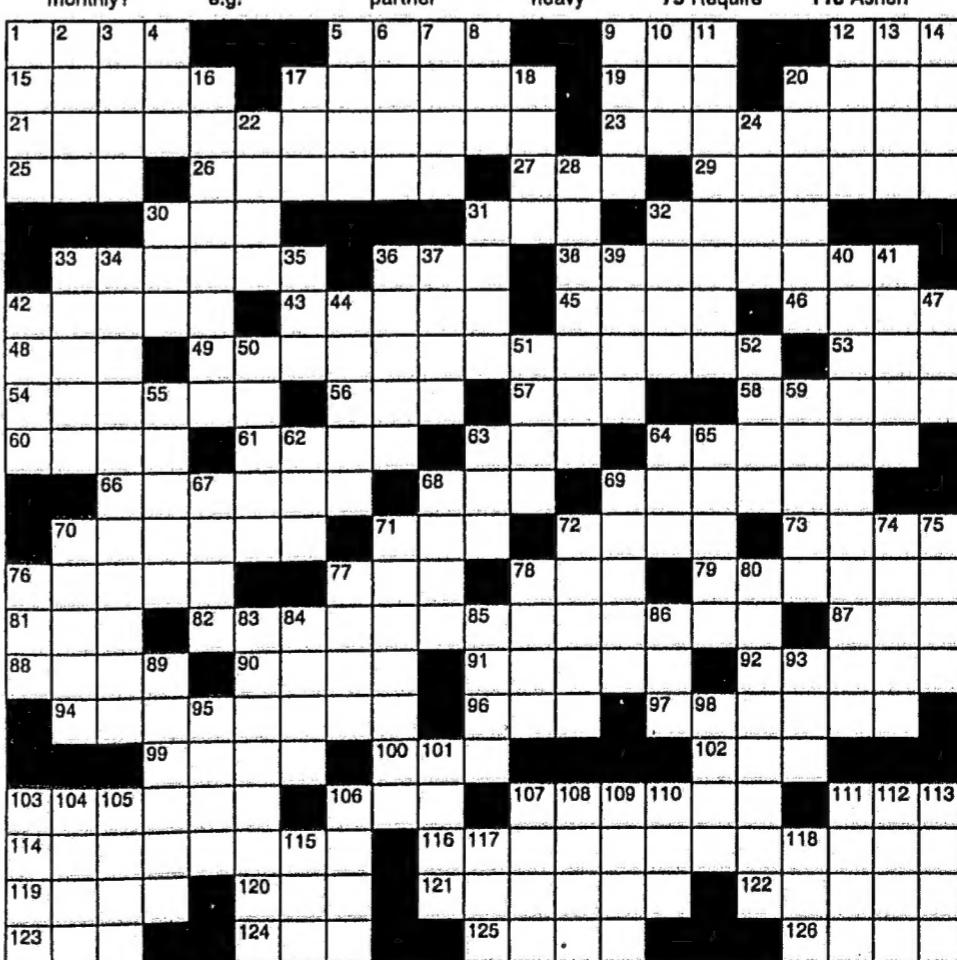
Though soda crackers seem to be lacking in that crisp, crunchy texture they once had, the real difference is the thickness — there isn't any. They're so thin the darn things break apart in your hand. I know it's trite, but I get really frustrated when I

In this ever changing world we live in, nothing is quite like it used to be. But the way I see it, if butter and chocolate milk could taste like they once did, it would be a change for the better.

Super Crossword

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Locke Mills

by Lorraine Larson

It has been a rather quiet week news wise. Andy and I attended the Sunday church service and potluck dinner at the Church of the Nazarene. The district superintendent, the Rev. Dunlop, was present and delivered the sermon. He and his wife, Reba, also sang "Sheltered in the Arms of God," one of my favorites. In fact, I once told my son-in-law I wanted him to sing it at my funeral and his reaction was, "Yeah, right, Mum." Well, it was a thought. We also had a surprise visit from Crystal Grant. Somehow the young people grow up overnight and learn to drive and such. It is hard to believe the Grants have been gone a year, but they have. Crystal said her mother fell and injured her shoulder. I can empathize with that. It's been four years since I fell on mine and it's just getting to the point where I have full use of my arm.

Correction: Bertha Flanders' address is: Buck Hill Apartments, 235 High Street, South Paris, ME 04281.

Gerry Shimamura and I went to Stephen's Memorial Hospital Wednesday to see Rhonda Mitchell, who had been taken by ambulance in the night. She experienced chest pain, nausea and racing heartbeats. Her blood pressure was also very low. At the time we saw her, she said the doctors didn't think she had a heart attack, but something was obviously wrong so she was under observation and tests.

I just get to feeling better and Andy gets sick. I guess, however, it is better to have one ill at a time. I'll never forget the year John and I and Marcia and Ralph, along with my mother, were all ill with the flu at the same time. We took our temperatures and the one with the lowest temperature at the time had to get the juice. No one though had to go very often because we really didn't feel like eating. Anyhow, it was a bad time, but we managed to survive. But we all remember that is Ralph, Marcia and I do.

My friend, Diane Thurston of Albany, was operated on Tuesday at St. Mary's Hospital in Lewiston, and I was surprised to get a call from her Thursday evening, as she had gotten home. Mercy, that's an awful short time. One hardly has time to get awake. Have a speedy recovery, Diane.

South Woodstock

by Andrea Wing

Joe Pete Appleby, along with Danielle and Josh, attended the Telstar basketball game at Boothbay one evening recently. Sad to say, Telstar lost both games.

Many had Monday, Jan. 15, off to observe Martin Luther King Day.

The town of Woodstock is doing a survey of street lights around town to see if they are all placed where needed or not needed. The town pays quite a bit for these lights each year and wants to be sure they're all placed correctly.

My sister, Dotti Critser, called from Tempe, Ariz., to see how the weather and we all are doing. I told her we had plenty of snow and it had been quite cold. Another sister, Evelyn Dunn, and husband Jim are visiting with Dotti for a while. I spoke with them both. Dotti said weather there is cold for Arizona, down to 46 degrees for a day or two. As I'm writing this news it started snowing again.

I can't seem to keep up with the bird feeders lately. We have five and have to usually fill them twice a day. I do enjoy seeing them.

Kellie Record, Sarah Hart, and Zachary and Jessie Hart and I shopped at Wal-Mart last Saturday. I bought Zach a pair of boots. Sunday, Kellie brought Zach up for a while. He is 20 months old and a real joy to have around.

Not much news this week, would love to hear from anyone who would like something put in my column.

Larry Billings, curator, Woodstock Historical Society, reported that at the January meeting Linda MacGregor spoke about the published book, "Rumford Stories," and the members subsequently decided to publish Ruby Emery's "Gore Road." Thanks to Elsie and Larry Bonney for all their work on the project. At the next meeting, Ruth Cox will speak on materials from her museum. The January meeting was held at Evelyn Bean's home, and the next meeting is planned there as well. Much thanks for her hospitality. Curator Billings was very pleased with the gifts he got for Christmas and for his birthday this month.

Congratulations to Paul Billings for his election as chairman of the County Republicans.

Quote of the Week: "I've learned that a recession is a period when we have to go without things our grandparents never heard of."

West Paris

by Joyce Lamb

Cynthia and Sayward Lamb of Bryant Pond and Plant City, Fla. are receiving congratulations on the birth of a great-grandson to Carol and Jeff Twitchell of Oxford. He was born on Dec. 31 and joins sisters, Adrianna and Karleigh. Jim and Chris Lamb are grandparents.

On Jan. 28 at 9 a.m. "Surviving the Winter" will be the topic at the Universalist Church. It is based on an Alaskan legend about two old women. The Rev. Joy Gasta is the minister and Susan Glines, the organist.

Vince Stevens has been snowmobiling in Rangeley with friends.

The craft group of the Universalist Church met with Beverly Stevens to plan work for the winter. Those attending were Peg Perham, Edith Morey and Joyce Lamb. Mittens are needed for the fall sale. Contact the group for yarn if you are interested in knitting a few pairs. There is plenty of yarn for granny squares, also. We will be putting together an afghan this summer. While you are transplanting

ing your houseplants this spring, put a few in pots for the May sale.

Several other crafts were discussed: hot pads, aprons and a quilt. Next week we will be working on small plant pot pincushions. The materials will be at the meeting. Just come and help us put them together.

Questing Elders met Wednesday at the home of Joyce Lamb, with the leader, Joy Gasta. A lively discussion and tea, coffee and cookies were enjoyed.

Myrtle Heikkinen was moved from Maine Medical Center to Ledgview Nursing Home for rehabilitation.

West Paris

by Miriam Inman
Greetings from sunny Florida. The temperature this afternoon, Jan. 16, was 80 degrees on our porch and Vern complained. I loved it.

On Thursday, Jan. 4, son Walter and wife, Kim Inman, from West Paris came to spend the weekend. Son Marshall and fiancée, Nancy, from North Pole, Alaska were here for a special purpose. On Saturday, the 6th, in the afternoon they were

married in our yard at a beautiful service conducted by the Rev. Halse, one of our neighbors. Nancy was given into marriage by her father, John Harrison from North Pole. Her mother, Kathryn, was also present. Kim Inman was the matron of honor and Walter Inman was his brother's best man. An outdoor lawn reception followed. The wedding cake was made by Dottie Brown of East Sumner, a specialist in this field. The bride's bouquet was caught by "Babe" Hanson, a Buckland native. A very touching toast was made by the best man to the good health and happiness for the couple. Music was furnished by Pete Andrews, Ivan Proctor and Keith Wing. Others present from our area were Phyllis Young, Sayward and Cynthia Lamb, Milton and Eleanor Inman, Arlene Proctor, Norma Colby, Kay Larson, Jeannette O'Neil and Jim and Dottie Brown. This was a first in Brandon Trailer Park. There was even dancing in the street. Marshall and Nancy returned to North Pole on Sunday, the 14th.

Milton and Eleanor Inman, Ivan and Arlene Proctor and Phyllis Prince are spending a few days with Oz and Velma Jaaranen.

We were sorry to learn of the deaths of Betty Ring and Ruth Pray. Sincere sympathy is extended to their families.

Thank you, Joyce, for the article in the paper I received today.

East Stoneham

by Eleanor Nelson
Hi folks. On Jan. 17, nine members of East Stoneham Congregational Church UCC

met at the home of Mary Grover. The secretary's report was read and accepted. The treasurer's report was handed out with the annual budget, which was discussed and accepted.

In the future, a once-a-month film is planned, and on Jan. 28 the film, "Weapons of the Spirit" will be shown by the Rev. George Frobig. This is on Sunday night at 7 p.m. at the North Waterford Church.

A youth group has also been started. This is for fifth-grade students and up. You may contact the Rev. Frobig at 693-6461, Sharon McAllister at 928-2878, Sonja Millott at 583-4467 or Marjorie Kimball at 583-4408. I believe a fun

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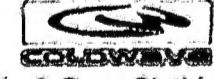
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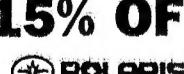
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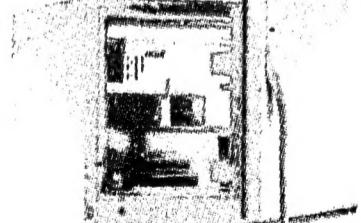
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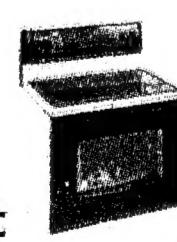
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time and community helping-out time is involved in this project. I think I heard roller-skating mentioned, so if interested check it out.

On Jan. 13, Terry Michkols, D.V.M., held a rabies clinic at the Stoneham Fire Station and she had about 20 cats and dogs during the two hours, but not all at once, I hope. Anyway, it was a successful program and a help to all involved. Katie already had her shots, but you know what? She has a pretty new bedspread and her bed looks prettier than mine. She has a full-size bed and bedroom of her own. Isn't she a lucky dog.

This past weekend, Carole and Albert Nelson Jr., Richard and Brenda Mowatt and Herb and Donna Kennerson were up to Nelson's camp at Wilson's Mills. There's about two and a half feet of snow there and real good traveling. They rode a couple hundred miles over the weekend. At one point, in Grafton Notch they saw a moose by the road. He folded his front feet under him, bent down and was lapping up the salt by the roadside. They had a good weekend.

Last Sunday when we were at A.J.'s Restaurant here in Stoneham, Andy said they had about 40 snowmachines there that day.

From the
**Bethel Historical
Society's Regional
History Center**

Over fifty persons attended the Jan. 20 opening of the exhibit, "A Sampling of Winter Recreation in the Bethel Area," sponsored by the Bethel Area Chamber of Commerce in cooperation with the Bethel Historical Society.

The evening reception at the Society's historic Robinson House provided an opportunity to reflect on the development of winter recreation activities that extended back to the early years of the 20th century. The exhibit included antique snowshoes, sleds, skis, skates, toboggans as well as vintage posters



HISTORICAL SKIS—Antique skis and 1970s ski clothing are among the items in an exhibit portraying the history of winter recreation in Bethel.

(Photo by Alison Aloisio)

and memorabilia relating to the winter recreation theme.

Numerous clippings and contemporary images assisted in bringing to mind this era when times were simpler and the equipment much less "high tech." Much credit for the food goes to Becky Secret and Emily Beers for the fine presentation.

Thanks to the 2001 Celebration of Winter Committee (Becky Secret, Kathy Thrall, Brad Jerome, Rocky Freda, and Emily Beers) for organizing the exhibit and to all those who loaned items. Society Curator of Collections Randall Bennett and exhibit volunteer Danna Nickerson worked with John Cooley of the Chamber of Commerce in organizing the exhibit and

providing the labels. The exhibit will be open most weekdays and Saturdays, 1 to 4 p.m. (also 6:30 to 8:30 p.m. Saturdays) until Feb. 24. There is no admission charge and everyone interested is encouraged to visit.

The Maine history course, offered this winter and early spring will focus on the 17th century on Jan. 30, the 18th century on February 27, the 19th century on March 27, and the 20th century on April 24th. The textbook will be "Maine: The Pine Tree State From Prehistory To The Present" and is available in the Society Museum Shop. Society Director Stanley R. Howe, who was one of the contributors to the book and has taught Maine history at the university level, will be the discussion leader. To register, please call the Society office at 824-2908 or (800) 824-2910. Course fees are \$10 for Society members and \$20 for nonmembers. All those taking the course will be eligible for a 10 percent discount on the textbook.

From the
**Bethel Area
Chamber
of Commerce**

We have a great suggestion on one sure way to make yourself feel better and give yourself a gift you deserve. Come to our February Business After Hours on Tuesday, Feb. 13 from 6 to 8 p.m. at Professional Massage Therapy (on the corner of Main and Clark Streets, Bethel). Meet one of our newest members, Sharon Lyons, who has been a massage therapist for nearly two decades, greet fellow Chamber members, and possibly win a door prize. Bring your business cards to exchange with one another and to drop in the door prize jar. See you then.

Welcome to Duddy Realty, Dotty Duddy, owner, newest member of the Chamber. Dotty has opened an office at 91 Main Street, Bethel and can be reached at 824-4008 or via e-mail at dtdt@megalink.net. Stop in and see her.

This past Saturday's events were a great start to the New England Jeep Dealers' Celebration of Winter 2001. A dozen fun-loving (and slightly loony) plunger dipped in the Androscoggin River on the shore of Bethel Outdoor Adventures. A Jeep parade, a Jeep obstacle course, a bonfire and a chili luncheon were among the day's festivities. Many thanks to Jeff and Pattie Parsons and family for hosting the event, to Steve Wight and the Winterfest Committee for helping with the details of the day and to Doug Wilson who helped with the Jeep event.

The evening kick-off, "A Sampling of Winter Recreation in the Bethel Area," hosted by the Bethel Historical Society at their Robinson House facility, was a tremendous way to complete the memorable day. Many thanks to Becky Secret and Randy Bennett for coordinating the exhibit opening and to all who donated food or beverage. The exhibit will be on display throughout the Celebration of Winter 2001. Please call the Historical Society at 824-2908 for exact hours.

We have several volunteers that we call on again and again to help us with the event signs. A big polar bear thank-you to Jeff Sterling, Dave Freiday and Dave Berry for their tireless efforts.

Stay tuned for more fun events this Saturday. In addition to the exciting world-class event being held at Sunday River, the first Annual Antique Snowmobile Ride-In and Grooming Rodeo will be taking place on the Bethel Station snowman lot, starting at 9 a.m. We expect more than 100 sleds to be on exhibit. All the major snowmobile manufacturers will be present displaying their finest products. A cookout lunch will be available, there will be plenty of opportunity to try out equipment and sign up for guided trail rides.

For more information on participating in the event, contact Rocky at Sun Valley Sports, 824-7533. "Hat's off" to the Chamber's Partnerships and Events Director Emily Beers, for all her effort in making the Bethel area a happening place this winter.

Notes from
SAD44 Adult Ed

The University of Maine ITYX classes are underway at the Telstar ITYX site with an excellent response of 75 enrollments after the first two days of the term. Five individuals have received Osher scholarships from the University system to begin their college career with a free course including all fees and books. This is most unusual as the allocation for sites such as Telstar is normally a single scholarship. The close collaboration between the SAD44 Adult Learning Center and the Rumford/Mexico Center resulted in the windfall, with Learning Center director, Bob Ellis, student services coordinator, Sherry Gaudin and Adult Learning Center counselor, Merrill Bittner, engaged in a flurry of phone calls and faxes to make it happen. The Rumford/Mexico staff was able to secure unclaimed scholarships from other parts of the state for reallocation here. Joan Bartlett, Joseph Marshall, Bill Cushing, Shauna Walker and John Hooper are the Osher recipients this term.

Prospective students interested in Osher scholarships, available for first-time college students, for future terms may contact the Adult Education office at 824-2780.

Classes starting during the coming week include Internet for Seniors on Saturday, Jan. 27, Substitute Teacher Training on the 29th, Strudel-making on Jan. 30, and Pioneer Braid Strip Machine Quilting and Making Travel Plans On-Line on Saturday, Feb. 3. For details call the Adult Education office, 824-2780.

From
**Junior
Achievement**

Junior Achievement (JA) volunteer consultants have completed four of the five fifth-grade classes in SAD44. Comments from teachers assure that JA is making a difference for their students. Volunteer consultants spent one hour a week for five weeks teaching students to value themselves, others, their education and the American free enterprise system.

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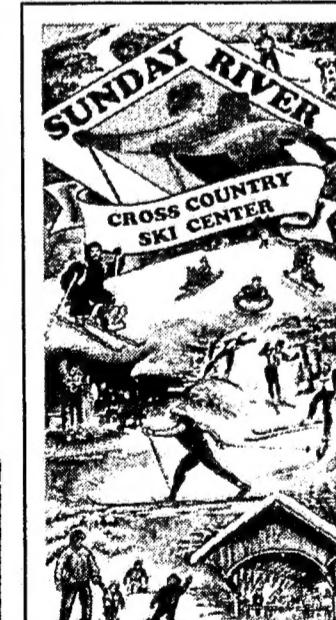
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At Crescent Park School, volunteer consultants Skip Bennett taught in Mark Kenney's class, Jordan Ginsberg at Bernice Caddigan's class, and Bo Boden in Jason Marjorides' class. Anastasia Heitmann taught at Andover Elementary School in John Emery's class. Bob Harkins is currently instructing in Connie Crandall's class at Woodstock Elementary School. All volunteer consultants, with the exception of Boden, were employed by Sunday River Ski Resort, which has sponsored all five classes. Boden is self-employed.

Third-grade classes will start after the February vacation. JA advisory council members will hold a special orientation program on Feb. 12 for all third-grade teachers and volunteer consultants scheduled for their classes. Constructive evaluation comments from both consultants and teachers in the fifth-grade classes will also be reviewed in order to make future classes more effective.

First-grade classes are scheduled to start after the spring vacation. A class in personal economics is also set to start in the spring.

Robin Mills, chair, JA advisory council, said more support from area businesses has been forthcoming. Stone Mountain Mortgage, Sunday River Brewery and Bethel Station Chiropractic are each sponsoring a class at a cost of \$200 per class.

For further information about JA, interested persons may contact Mills at 824-3768 or 824-02669.

From the
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Oxford County Republicans recently met at the Tri-Town Rescue Center, West Paris. Election of officers for the next two years followed a delicious dinner served by the host group. Officers elected were: Paul Billings of Woodstock,

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chairman; Judy Bennett of Woodstock, female vice chair; Jim Hamper of Oxford, male vice chair; secretary, Barbara Robinson of Paris; treasurer, Louanne Cameron of Rumford; finance chair, Stan Harmon of Waterford.

Speaker for the evening was Oxford County Sheriff Lloyd Herrick, who reviewed several of the programs that have been successfully established or developed during his tenure as the chief law enforcement office for the county. He also reviewed some of the current legislation before the Maine Legislature and explained its importance to his office.

It was reported that the annual Lincoln Day Dinner would be held at the Bethel Inn on Saturday, Feb. 17, and that U.S. Senator Susan Collins (R-Maine) would be the featured speaker.

Remarks were heard from Rep. Ted Heidrich (R-Oxford) and from Sawin Millett of U.S. Sen. Susan Collins' Lewiston office.

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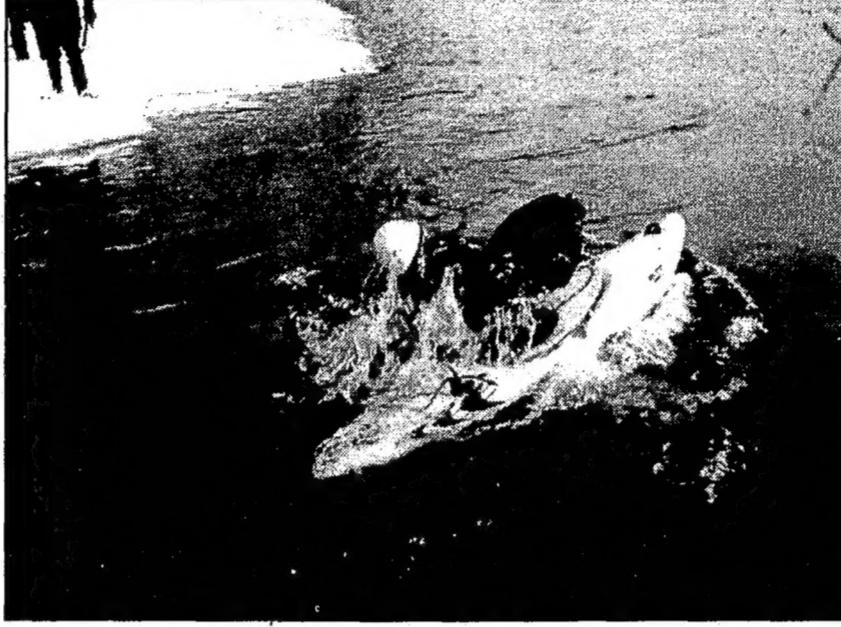
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A dozen hardy souls braved, very briefly, the frigid waters of the Androscoggin River Saturday, in the first annual Polar Bear Plunge. Their lives were safeguarded by kayaker Pete Morin of Locke Mills (left), who chilled out himself with a quick roll in the river. On our front page this week, Susan Roberti rushes a warm blanket to her West Bethel neighbor Trina Boelsma. The dip, held at the Bethel Outdoor Adventures, was part of the ongoing celebration of Winter 2001

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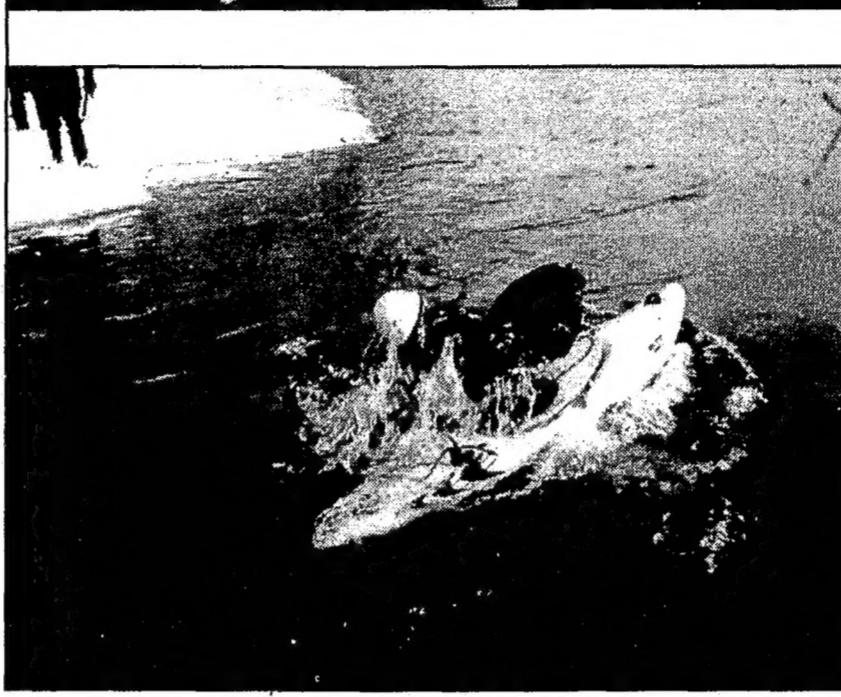
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School Sports

High School Boys' Varsity Basketball

Telstar 68, Livermore Falls 47; Jan. 22—Telstar's Dan Zinchuk and Wade Osgood each scored 12 points in a win over Livermore. Other scorers: Greg Koch (9); Will Seames (8); Gavin Palmer (7); Kaleb Durgin (6); Kinsey Durgin (4). Zinchuk had 10 rebounds, Kinsey Durgin eight and Seames seven. Kinsey Durgin had six steals and Koch four. "Another excellent defensive effort," said coach Larry Durgin. "We held them scoreless in the third quarter."

High School Boys' J.V. Basketball

Telstar 69, Livermore Falls 60; Jan. 23—Telstar's Matt Newell had 20 points and 23 rebounds in a win over Livermore. Josh Appleby had 12 points and Casey Fleet 11. "Matt Newell dominated the boards and Josh Appleby went 10 for 11 from the foul line to lead the Rebels to the win," said coach David Berry. "Eleven different players scored and the team shot 18 for 28 (64 percent) from the foul line."

High School Girls' Varsity Basketball

Livermore Falls 63, Telstar 48; Jan. 22—Telstar's Mariah Seames scored 14 points and Lauren Hart 13 in a loss to Livermore. Other scorers: Katie Wight (6); Lynsey Brown (5); Anna Willard (5); Rebecca Swan (3); Gould (2).

High School Snowboarding

Jan. 20 competition: Boys: Telstar's Darin Morse finished fourth and Jeremy Benson placed seventh in the 16 to 17 year old division. "Overall a great day for the newly formed Telstar Snowboarding Competition Team," said coach Scott Parker.

Boardercross competition at Sunday River Jan. 17—THS finishers for five school competition (Gould, CVA, Kents Hill, Hall-Dale, Telstar): Darin Morse, Elliot Poirier.

High School X-C Skiing

Telstar relays (19 schools, 316 racers total), Jan. 20—Teams ski four, five-kilometer legs. Boys: 1. Gould Academy (Kyle Rogers, Chris Leonards, Ronan Donovan, Justin Hautaniemi) 1:02.23; 2. Cape Elizabeth 1:04.21; 3. Maranacook 1:04.22; 4. Edward Little 1:04.26; 5. Greely 6. Leavitt. 7. Kennett, NH; 8. Mt. Blue; 9. Greely; 10. Mt. Valley. 16. Gould (Matt Martel, Evan Daigneault, Charlie Merritt, and Bryan Wilson of Telstar) 1:16.52; 26. Oxford Hills (with Ben Shimamura of Telstar) 1:31.30.

Girls: 1. Mt. Blue Yates, Hardy, Tinguely, Tripp) 1:17.01. 2. Greely 1:17.57; 3. Leavitt 1:18.59; 4. Fryeburg 1:20.21; 5. Maranacook; 6. Edward Little; 7. Yarmouth; 8. Greely; 9. Mt. Blue; 10. Greely; 14. Gould (Amanda Bitterauf, Laura Damon, Shannon Fyrebue, Caitlin Kennett) 1:31.54.

Mixed results (boys and girls): 1. Mt. Blue (Hubbard, Guyette, Dunlap, Bogar) 1:06.29; 2. Yarmouth 1:08.27; 3. Telstar (John Reuter, Heather Zimmerman, Brian Zinchuk, Sarah Gamble) 1:10.30; 4. Oxford Hills 1:11.12; 5. Maranacook; 6. Mt. Abram; 7. Jay; 8. Leavitt; 9. Fryeburg; 10. Mt. Blue; 11. Telstar (Joel Doyon, Fred Bailey, Shonna Young, Caroline Raymond) 1:23.44.

TMS Boys' Varsity Basketball

Madison 36, Telstar 34; Jan. 22—Telstar's August Reiss and Sean Caddigan each scored nine points in a loss to Madison.

TMS Girls' Varsity Basketball

Telstar 24, Madison 23; Jan. 22—Telstar's Liz Rosenberg scored eight points and Jennie Cox seven in a win over Madison. Jillian Kimball had six, Steph Bennett two and Nola Wentworth one. "Two very good defensive teams went to overtime," said coach Aaron Bean. "With the Lady Rebels scoring five points in the extra quarter of play, we came away with the victory. I still can't say enough about the defense being played by all 13 girls. Good job, ladies."

Jay 28, Telstar 15; Jan. 17—Telstar's Chea Davis scored four points and Jennie Cox three in a loss to Jay. Jillian Kimball, Nola Wentworth, Steph Bennett and Kelsey Dole each score two points. "With a cold night shooting, the girls could not score enough points for the win, but yet another good night of defense was played by all," said coach Aaron Bean.

Mt. Valley 34, Telstar 20; Jan. 11—Telstar's Jillian Kimball and Liz Rosenberg each scored five points in a loss to Mt. Valley. Nola Wentworth and Steph Bennett each had three points and Jennie Cox and Chea Davis two. "With good defense, we held Mt. Valley to just 34 points," said coach Aaron Bean. "Unfortunately, we only scored 20. Big step from last season. The girls have come along way in just one year."

TMS Snowboarding

Jan. 20 Boardercross competition: TMS Boys: Andrew Raymond, second in the 12 to 13 year old division. Ross Parker, first in the 14 to 15 year old division. Girls: Jena Hardy, first in the 12 to 13 year old Girls Div.; Amy Gadis, second.

SCHOOL LUNCHES: WEEK OF JAN. 29

SAD44 Elementary/Middle/High Breakfast Program
Breakfast for elementary schools and Telstar Regional High School will be choices every day.

SAD44 Telstar Middle/High School Lunch Program

Monday: Fishwich, garden peas, assorted fruit juice, pepperoni pizza, beef ravioli, ham and cheese roll, hamburger/bun, p/b/j sandwich, salad bar, fruit bar, milk.

Tuesday: Spaghetti/meatball, green beans, bread/butter, pepperoni pizza, beef ravioli, teriyaki chicken/bb bun, hamburger/bun, p/b/j sandwich, salad bar, fruit bar, milk.

Wednesday: Sausage links, one pancake/syrup, assorted fruit juice, tropical fruit salad, milk.

Thursday: Chicken/gravy, mashed potato, sliced carrots, biscuits, beef ravioli, p/b/j sandwich, salad bar, fruit bar, milk.

Friday: Italian sandwich, potato chips, beef ravioli, p/b/j sandwich, salad bar, fruit bar, milk.

SAD44 Elementary School Lunch Program

Monday: Fishwich, garden peas, beef ravioli, p/b/j sandwich, salad bar, fruit bar, milk.

Tuesday: Spaghetti/meatball, green beans, beef ravioli, p/b/j sandwich, salad bar, fruit bar, milk.

Wednesday: Pizza stix, kernel corn, beef ravioli, p/b/j sandwich, salad bar, fruit bar, milk.

Thursday: Chicken/gravy, mashed potato, sliced carrots, biscuits, beef ravioli, p/b/j sandwich, salad bar, fruit bar, milk.

Friday: Italian sandwich, potato chips, beef ravioli, p/b/j sandwich, salad bar, fruit bar, milk.

Boardercross competition at Sunday River Jan. 17—TMS results for five school competition (Gould, CVA, Kents Hill, Hall-Dale, Telstar): Ross Parker, first in Varsity Boys Under 15. Other finishers: Jeff Benson, Brock Merrill. Girls: Jena Hardy, second in Varsity Girls. Other finishers: Amy Gadis.

TMS Boys' Alpine Skiing

Slalom at Sunday River; Jan. 17: Telstar 10, Oxford Hills 38—Top 10 finishers (19-skier race): 1. Kamden Burke (Telstar) 1:06.49; 2. Finn Donovan (Telstar) 1:15.37; 3. Will Carver (Telstar) 1:24.49; 4. Andy Aloisio (Telstar) 1:26.22; 5. Charles Parsons (Telstar) 1:26.70; 6. T. Jellison (OH); 7. Steve Scotti (Telstar) 1:28.33; 8. Mike Brown (Telstar) 1:28.45; 9. J. Fortier (OH) 1:30.56; 10. B. Crockett (OH) 1:32.24. Other TMS finishers: 11. Frank Emerson 1:34.45; 12. Nick Bean 1:35.85; 14. Mike Cross (1:47.72); 15. Bill Demarest 1:50.08; 16. Caleb Hayes 1:53.41; 17. Eric Berard 1:59.92; 18. Brandon Roberts (2:05.14).

TMS Girls' Alpine Skiing

Slalom at Sunday River; Jan. 17: Telstar 10, Oxford Hills 40—Finishers in 11-skier race: 1. Lauren McAllister (Telstar) 1:15.19; 2. Jessica James (Telstar) 1:27.03; 3. Erin Murphy (Telstar) 1:32.18; 4. Morgan Carver (Telstar) 1:33.18; 5. Riley Gilbert (Telstar) 1:34.88; 6. Britney Howe (Telstar) 1:35.07; 7. J. Wielki (1:35.83); 8. J. Pietroski (OH) 1:39.05; 9. Lauren Conroy (Telstar) 1:40.43; 10. Whitney James (Telstar) 1:50.77; 11. Kaylee Smith (Telstar) 1:51.20.

USSA Alpine Skiing

Meredith Langley Wyman Memorial J3 giant slalom at Sunday River, Jan. 21—Local finishers, boys (84 skiers): 1. Gabe Ohlson; 3. Jake Largess; 7. Kamden Burke; 11. Taylor Felton; 12. Francis Wolff; 14. Adam Largess; 27. Nick Gray; 30. Kevin Zinchuk. 68. Charles Parsons. Girls (48 skiers): 1. Elana Malapan; 2. Emilie Swett; 4. Lauren McAllister; 7. Elizabeth Healy; 10. Sarah Veltz; 16. Jena Greaser.

MARA J1/2 giant slalom at Sugarloaf, Jan. 21—Local finishers, men (83 skiers): 1. David Riss; 2. Noah Siebeck-Smith; 4. Kristian Knights; 6. Daniel LeBlanc; 16. David Parks; 17. Ben Morrill; 21. Rush Hawkins; 28. Zeke Davison; 35. Charles Hoyt; 40. Chris Gould; 42. Thomson Riley; 44. Leo Menard. Women (42 skiers): 5. Stephanie Vaughan; 6. Caroline Riss; 11. Kate Warner; 12. Danielle Riss; 24. Sarah Felton; 28. Adora Burke; 39. Robin Chace.

Shawnee Peak J3 slalom, Jan. 20—Local finishers, boys (43 skiers): 1. Gabe Ohlson; 9. Adam Largess; 11. Taylor Felton; 12. Francis Wolff; 17. Dan Koris; 21. Jake Largess. Girls (18 skiers): 1. Elana Malapan; 2. Sarah Veltz; 3. Elizabeth Healy; 10. Jena Greaser; 11. Stephanie Sweeney; 12. Meredith Gadd.

Oxford Hills Comprehensive High School

Monday: Cheeseburger/bun, potato wedges, mixed vegetables, fruit, milk.

Tuesday: Pepperoni pizza sticks, rice, bread/butter, salad bar, fruit, milk.

Wednesday: Ham steak, carrots, baked potato, salad bar, fruit, milk.

Oxford Hills Middle School

Monday: BBQ beef/bun or buffalo wings, potato puffs, pasta bar, milk.

Tuesday: Sliced turkey on w/w or tuna salad on w/w, corn chips, pasta bar, milk.

Wednesday: Hot ham and cheese/bun or steakum w/cheese/bun, potato puffs, pasta bar, milk.

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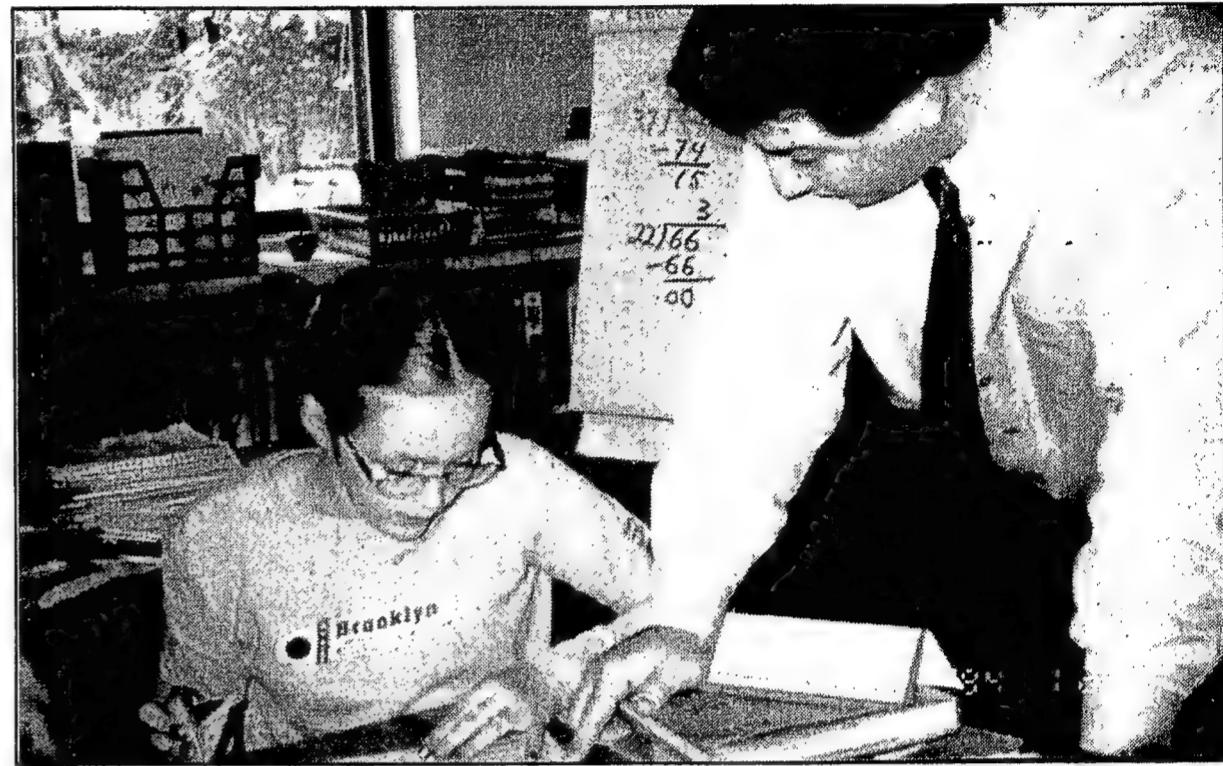
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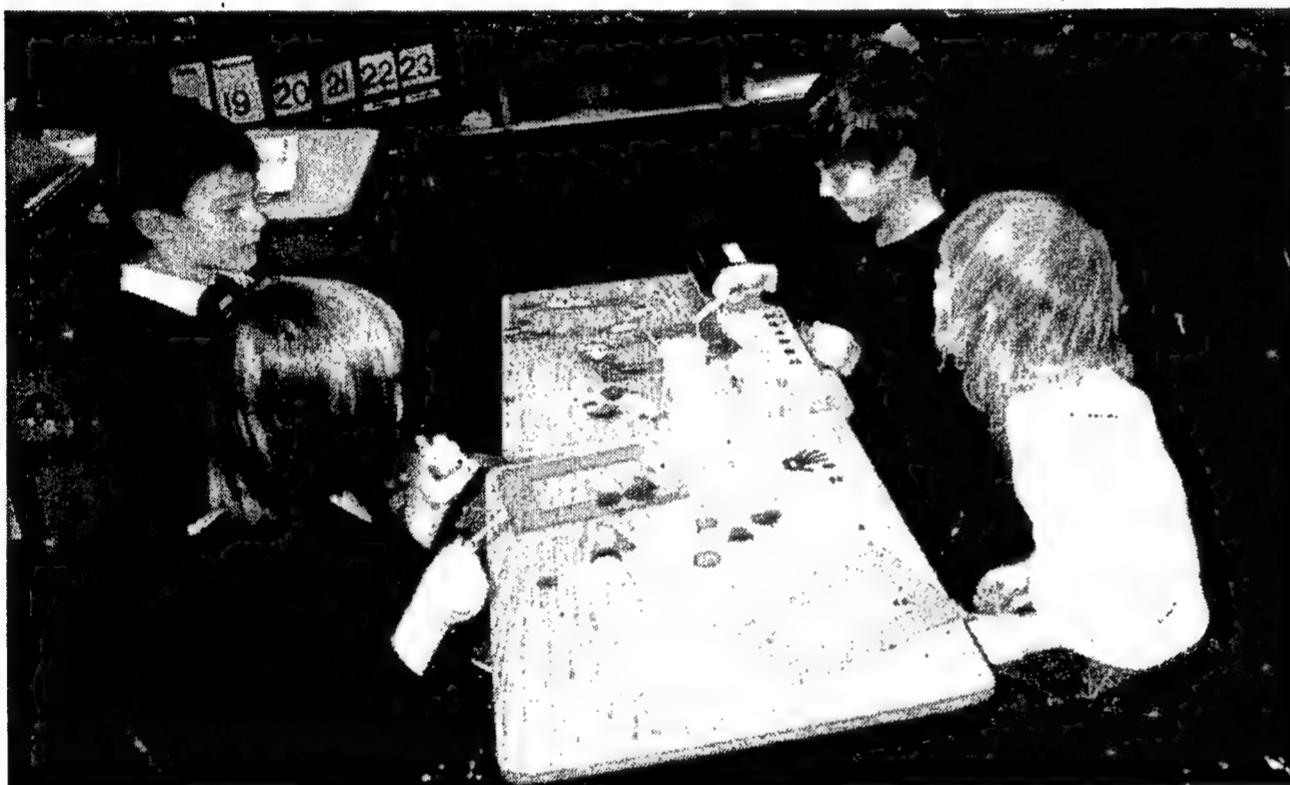
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Andover Elementary School Soccer Awards. Front l-r: Ethan Damon, Carl Zurhorst, Michael MacKnight, Max Newman, Amy Farrington. Middle l-r: David Shaw, Jacob Berry, Taylor Newman, Timothy Fifield. Back l-r: Whitney Mills, Candace Hall, Deagan Conrad.



Jordan Ginsberg (volunteer consultant from Sunday River) works with Bailey Davis, 5th Grade CPS

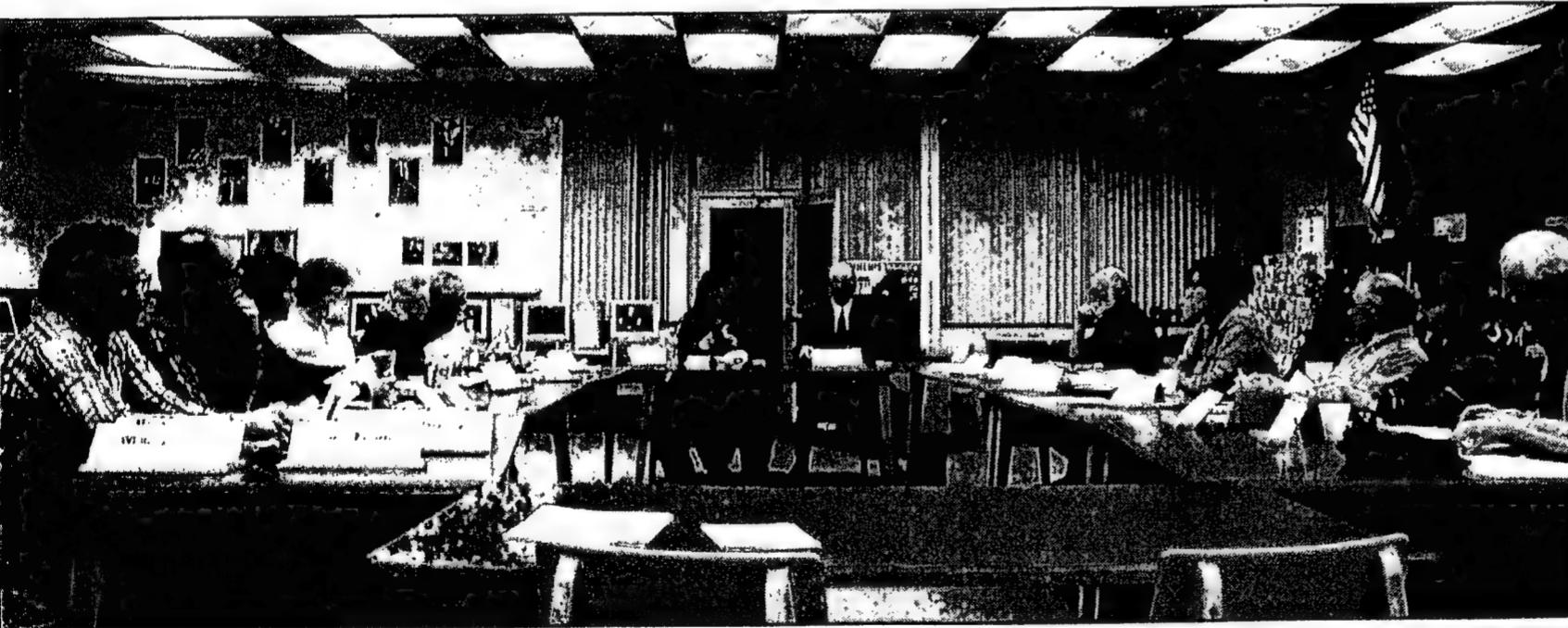


The three kindergarten classes at CPS recently joined together to work on an art project for their parents. The children all decorated picture frames as a holiday gift and enclosed a favorite photo.



Bernice Caddigan's 5th Grade at CPS receives certificates for participating in the Junior Achievement program, working with Jordan Ginsberg, Director of Events & Competition at Sunday River.

Below: The SAD44 School Board recently discussed policy regarding the wearing on school grounds of clothing that advertises tobacco products.



Kindergartners Jessica Casey and Marcus Bennett enjoy a trip through the Time Machine to prehistoric times. The kindergarten students at CPS participate in activities that link all the content areas of the curriculum.

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Thru Feb. 24 — "A Sampling of Winter Recreation in the Bethel Area" is on exhibit at Bethel Historical Society's Robinson House on Broad Street, Wednesdays from 1 to 4 p.m. and Saturdays from 1 to 4 p.m. and 6:30 to 8:30 p.m. Wear black tie or dress flannels. Call 824-2284 for special appointments.

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Jan. 22-28

Bethel's International Dining Week. Over 20 local and area restaurants and lodgings will offer fares from many foreign countries. For more dining information, please call 824-2282.

Jan. 22-29

Sprint FIS Freestyle World Cup at Sunday River Ski Resort. Athletes' trainings open to the public all week. Final aerial competition Jan. 27 at 2 p.m. and final mogul competition Jan. 28 at 1 p.m.

Thursday, Jan. 25

Bethel Area Poets Society meeting at Café DiCocca, Main Street, Bethel. All area poets and poetry lovers invited. People visiting the area are more than welcome to join in. Café open for coffee, etc. Reading will be held on second floor. For more information, call 824-3427.

Friday, Jan. 26

Leland Faulkner — Japanese art forms, shadow theatre, illusion, original works and folk tales are combined to produce a performance like none other. Assembly programs for Telstar Middle and High School students.

6 to 9 p.m. — Cross-Country Ski Night for Newry residents at Sunday River Inn and Cross Country Ski Center, sponsored by the Newry Recreation Committee. Ski equipment and snowshoes will be loaned to Newry residents for free. Refreshments will be served.

Saturday, Jan. 27

7 p.m. — Oddfellow Theater will present "Two," a high-energy juggling group make up of brothers, Jason and Matthew Tardy. Tickets available by calling 336-3306, Visa and Mastercard accepted. Tickets: \$8 for adults, \$7 for seniors and \$5 for children 12 and under. Theater located on Route 117 in Buckfield village next to Tilton's Market. For more information on upcoming shows, call the Theater or visit the website at www.oddfellow.com.

9 a.m. to noon — Internet for Seniors, an Adult Education class with Judy Coolidge. Beginners welcome. Crescent Park School. Fee: \$5 for those 62 and older. Call 824-2780 to sign up.

8 to 11:30 p.m. — Old-fashioned Dance at Locke Mills Town Hall, with music by Richard Felt Orchestra. Benefit of Greenwood Historical Society.

Snowmobile Ride to Evans Notch from Sun Valley Sports, Sunday River Road. For reservations call 824-7533 or 877-851-3000.

9 a.m. — Grooming Rodeo and Antique Snowmachine Show, The Parkway by Western Maine Supply. Major sled manufacturers, antique snowmachines and equipment to demo.

Fireworks at Sunday River Ski Resort.

Sunday, Jan. 28

Chowder Fest (11 a.m.), Rally and Radar Run (begins at 9 a.m.), sponsored by Norway Trackers Snowmobile Club at the clubhouse on Norway Lake. Adults, \$5; children 12 and under, \$2. For more information, call 743-6490.

Support Services

REACH

Rape Education and Crisis Hotline 1-800-871-7741. Sexual assault/sexual abuse hotline, same number. Support groups and awareness education, past or present victims of abuse.

Exchanges

District Exchange—Open every Monday 1-4 p.m., Thursday, 4-6 p.m. and every Saturday from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. at the Ethel Bisbee School, Bethel. Clothing on sale, food available for those in need.

Community Service Center—Supplies available for emergencies and disaster relief at Thurlow Hall, Perkins Valley Road, South Woodstock. For aid or information call 674-2663.

Abused Women's Advocacy Project

AWAP serves all of Oxford County and provides emergency shelter, court advocacy and support groups with child care. Rumford office 369-0750; Norway office 743-5806; 24-hour hotline 1-800-559-2927.

Alcohol/Drug Treatment

Gateway Recovery Services—Outpatient counseling services available at Bethel Family Health Center, Mondays and Wednesdays. For info, call 207-743-7580.

Veterans' Services

(State/VA Benefits)

Maine Veterans Home, S. Paris, first and third Wednesday each month, 9 to 12 noon (743-6300); Rumford Employ. Sec. Bldg. (364-3718), second and fourth Thursday, 9 to 12 noon; Lewiston (795-4590), 200 Main St., 7:30 a.m. to 4 p.m., Monday thru Friday, 7 p.m. Tel. 392-4841. (new members welcome)

Library Hours

Andover Library: Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Saturday, 1-4:30 p.m.; Thursday, 6 to 8 p.m. Tel. 392-4841.

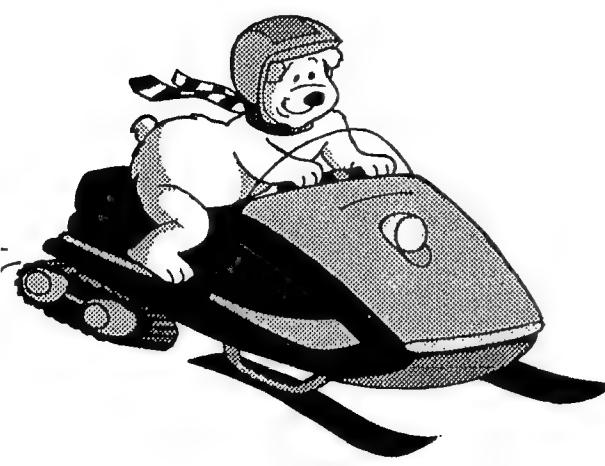
Bethel Library: Monday, 9 a.m.-1 p.m.; Tuesday, 1-5 p.m.; Wednesday, 1-8 p.m.; Thursday 1-5 p.m.; Friday, 1-8 p.m.; Saturday, 9-1 p.m. Story Hour for preschoolers, Thursday, 10-11 a.m. (September through May). Michelle Conroy, Librarian. 824-2520.

Whitman Memorial Library, Bryant Pond: Tel. 665-2505. Library hours: Tues., 11 a.m. to 4 p.m.; Wed., 2 p.m. to 6 p.m.; Thurs., 11 a.m. to 4 p.m.; Fri., 2 p.m. to 6 p.m.; Sat., 10 a.m. to 2 p.m.

Hamlin Memorial Library, Paris Hill: Tuesday, Friday, 11:30-5:30; Saturday, 10-2; Wednesday evening, 7-9 p.m. Tel. 743-2980.

West Paris Library, West Paris: Monday 1:30-5 p.m.; Wednesday, 1:30-7 p.m.; Friday, 1:30-5 p.m.; 674-2004.

Gardner Roberts Memorial Library, Hanover: Wednesday, 10-12 through July and August. Story Upton Library: Saturday 9 a.m. - 11 a.m.



Monday, Jan. 29

7 to 9 p.m. — Substitute Teacher Training, an Adult Education class with Dr. Pat O'Neill and Mrs. Sally Hannon of Telstar. Free. Pre-registration is required. Call 824-2780 to sign up.

Tuesday, Jan. 30

6:30 p.m. — Free Excel Clinic at Telstar with Jeff Pengel. Come with questions. Advanced sign-up by Mon., Jan. 29, at 5 p.m. a must. Call Adult Education (824-2780).

6:30 to 8:30 p.m. — Strudel-making with Lorrie Hoech, an Adult Education class at Telstar. Fee: \$5. Call Adult Education (824-2780) to sign up.

Public Hearing at Andover Town Hall to discuss new Adelphi cable contract and articles for town Meeting.

8 p.m. — Cross Country Ski show at Appalachian Mountain Club, Pinkham Notch Visitor Center. Free. Join Dr. Roger Zimmerman, backcountry and Nordic ski instructor for the AMC, and friends as they share their adventures touring by cross-country ski.

Jan. 30-Feb. 4

U.S. Freestyle Noram (moguls, aerials, dual moguls) at Sunday River Ski Resort. For information, call 824-3000.

Wednesday, Jan. 31

7 p.m. — Rick Charette Duo (songs for kids) will be featured at the Grand Ballroom of the Grand Summit Hotel, Sunday River Resort, sponsored by the Black Diamond Family entertainment Series. Tickets: advance — adults, \$5; children under 12, \$3; or \$5 and \$7 at door. For more information, call 824-3575.

Thursday, Feb. 1

11:30 a.m. — Woodstock-Greenwood Senior Citizens meeting at town annex for potluck dinner and Valentine Party. Each one is to bring his/her own place setting and a dish to share: hot dish, salad or dessert. Each one is to make a valentine box for a contest.

Saturday, Feb. 3

5:30 p.m. — Public Supper at Bethel United Methodist Church (beans, casseroles, salads, rolls, beverage, pie. Adults, \$5; under 12, \$2.50).

7 p.m. — Oddfellow Theater in Buckfield will present its first 2001 performance of "The Early Evening Show." Tickets are available by calling 336-3306, Visa and Mastercard accepted. Tickets are \$5 for children 12 and under, \$7 for senior citizens and \$8 for ages 13 and up if purchased in advance. If purchased at the door, prices are \$6, \$8 and \$9. Oddfellow Theater is located on Route 117 in Buckfield village next to Tilton's Marker. For more information on upcoming shows, go to www.oddfellow.com.

Create your own personalized valentines at Pooh Corner Farm, Bog Road, Bethel. Ribbons, lace, specialty papers, glue, patterns, poetry and ideas supplied. Come anytime during the day and only pay for what you use. For more information, call 826-2791.

Fireworks at Sunday River Ski Resort.

Saturday, Jan. 28

Chowder Fest (11 a.m.), Rally and Radar Run (begins at 9 a.m.), sponsored by Norway Trackers Snowmobile Club at the clubhouse on Norway Lake. Adults, \$5; children 12 and under, \$2. For more information, call 743-6490.

9 to 11 a.m. — Making Travel Plans on-line, an adult education class with Judy Coolidge at Crescent Park School. Cost: \$10. Call Adult Education to register (824-2780).

8:30 a.m. to 4 p.m. — Machine Quilting Class, Pioneer Braid Strip, adult education class at Telstar High School with Doreen Johnson. Cost: \$10. Contact Adult Education at 824-2780 for supply list. Bring lunch.

Feb. 3-4

Hot Air Balloons, dawn to dusk flights. Moon Glow Balloon on the Bethel Common Saturday night. For more information, call Bethel Chamber of Commerce (824-2282).

Sunday, Feb. 4

SAD44 Community Ski Day at Sunday River Ski Resort. Free skiing, 50 percent discount at cafeterias and restaurants. For more information, call 824-3000.

9 to 10:30 registration at Gould Academy — Flying Moose Classic cross-country race, a low-key 10k event hosted by Bethel Outing Club on the Gould Academy trail system on Grover Hill Road. Registrations fees: children's event, \$4 and 10k Moose, \$12 prior to Feb. 3, \$15 after. For further information, contact Jim Reuter at 824-4099 or jim@reuter.net. For information about Bethel Outing Club, contact Kirk Siegel at 824-0717 or kirks@x10.com.

Monday, Feb. 5

6 p.m. — Franklin Grange 124 potluck supper and Valentine's Day program.

Friday, Feb. 9

7 p.m. — The Dinner Dogs will be presented at Woodstock Elementary School, Bryant Pond, sponsored by Mahoosuc Arts Council. Three fun-loving characters use a secret recipe to cook up children's songs. For more information, call 824-3575.

Saturday, Feb. 10

11 a.m. to 2 p.m. — The Great Snow Box Derby will take place at Bethel Inn & Country Club's first. Food, fun, and lots of laughs. Build your best snow-racers and compete for trophies. Call 824-2282 for building guidelines and rules.

Wednesday, Feb. 14

11 a.m. — Bethel Senior Citizen Club meeting and dinner at the West Parish Congregational Church. Cost of dinner: \$6. After dinner, members will go to Gould Academy for a play put on by the drama club.

Saturday, Feb. 17

Tele-Day at Mt. Abram, Locke Mills. Free Telemark clinics and demos. Demo gear from Atomic, Black Diamond, Garmont, Tua, Rossignol and K2. Sponsored by Mt. Abram, Gear's Pale Ale, Mahoosuc Mt. sports and New England Telemark. For more information, call Mt. Abram (875-5002) or Biff at 725-7734 or e-mail at bif@blxnetcom.net.

6:30 p.m. — Oxford County Republicans' Lincoln Day Dinner at the Bethel Inn Conference Center, with Senator Susan Collins as guest speaker. An auction will be held.

Saturday, Feb. 18

11 a.m. to 1 p.m. — Oxford County ARC annual snowmobile Ride In, Swain Road, Rumford, sponsored by Oxford County and surrounding snowmobile clubs. For more information, call Greg Fraser 369-0141.

Friday, March 2

6 to 9 p.m. — Cross Country Ski Night for Newry residents at Sunday River Inn and Cross Country Ski Center, sponsored by the Newry Recreation Committee. Ski equipment and snowshoes will be loaned to Newry residents for free. Refreshments will be served.

Saturday, March 3

Andover Town Meeting.

Monthly Meetings

First Sunday: Bethel Snow Twisters Club meets at Clayton Crockett's at 7 p.m. September through April. Greenstock Snow Sports Snowmobile Club meets at the Greenwood Town Office at 9 a.m.

Wind Valley Snowmobile Club meeting at Newry Town Office.

Every Sunday: Western Mountains Meditation Group, Center for Natural Healing, 47 Pioneer Street, West Paris, 9:30 a.m. 574-3961.

Bethel Freedom Group AA meeting, 6 to 7 p.m.

First Monday: Greenwood Planning Board meets at Town Office, 7 p.m. (Will meet third Monday for several months to work on comprehensive plan only.)

First and Third Monday: Bethel Board of Selectmen meets at the Town Office, 7 p.m.

Newry Fire Department monthly meetings: first Monday, 7 p.m., at Sunday River Station; third Monday, 7 p.m., Bear River Station.

Second Monday: Newry Mother's Club meets, 7:30 p.m.

Daughters of Union Veterans of the Civil War, J. Grover Tent #17, Ellis River Riders meet at Andover Fire Station, 7 p.m.

Second and Fourth Monday: SAD44 Board of Directors meets in Bethel, Woodstock or Andover at 7:30 p.m. Call 824-2185 for place.

Gilead Fire Department meets at the Fire Station at 7 p.m.

Every Monday: Mahoosuc Music Makers rehearsal, 7:30 p.m., West Parish Congregational Church (downstairs).

First Tuesday: Woodstock Planning Board meets at 7 p.m. at Town Office.

Upton selectmen meet at 7 p.m. at Town Office.

Windy Valley Snowmobile Club meets at Newry Town Office, 7 p.m.

Western Maine Knitters Guild meets at Christ Church, Norway, 10 a.m. to noon.

First and Third Tuesday: The Greater Rumford Alliance for the Mentally Ill-Children and Adolescent Network (GRAMI-CAN) Support, education and advocacy. Meets in the former St. John's rectory from 6:30-8 p.m. in Rumford. Contact Diane at 369-0542.

The Bethel Lions Club meets at the Frank Gibson home, North Road, Bethel, at 7 p.m.

Bethel Area Promise Keepers, 7 p.m., Bethel Alliance Church.

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THURSDAY EVENING JANUARY 25, 2001												
	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30		
(3)	Seinfeld	Frasier	WWF Smackdown!				Frasier	Mad	Spin City	Spin City		
(32)	Early Edition		Movie: "Dangerous Waters"				Early Edition	700 Club				
6	Hollywood	Seinfeld	Friends	Weber	Will-Grace	Just Shoot	ER	News				
8	Fortune	Jeopardy!	Whose?	Whose?	Be a Millionaire		Primetime Thursday	News				
10	News-Lehrer		Maine.	Made In	Mystery!	Maine Independents		To Contrary	Business			
(22)	College Basketball: Illinois at Michigan			College Basketball: DePaul at South Florida				Sportscenter: Super Bow				
(34)	Miami Vice		Martial Law		Movie: "An Officer and a Gentleman"				Dead Man's Gun			
13	Friends	Ent. Tonight	Movie: "Mad City"				48 Hours	News				
(41)	Football	College Basketball: Dayton at St. Bonaventure				See This	Sports	College Basketball				
(15)	"Wild Grizzly" Cont'd		Inside the NFL		Movie: "XChange"				Sex Bytes	NFL		
(17)	Movie: "James and the Giant Peach"			Movie: "Dutch"			Movie: "Larger Than Life"					
(18)	"Pale Rider" Cont'd		Movie: "Love Kills"				Movie: "Nick of Time"		"Orgazmo"			
(20)	Sports	College Basketball: UNLV at Georgetown				ESPNNews	ESPNNews	ESPNNews	ESPNNews	ESPNNews		
(44)	Intimate Portrait		Unsolved Mysteries		Movie: "Deadly Intentions... Again?"				Golden	Golden		
(5)	Fresh Pr.	Fresh Pr.	Movie: "A View to a Kill"							Movie: "Octopussy"		
(24)	Hey Arnold!	Rugrats	Thornberrys	Brady	Gilligan	Facts-Life	3's Co.	3's Co.	All in Family	Jeffersons		
(25)	Hollywood Lives		Movie: "What Ever Happened to Baby Jane?"					Movie: "The Naked Prey"				
(26)	JAG		Nash Bridges		Movie: "The Getaway"				Martin	Martin		
(27)	Law & Order		Biography		Behind Closed Doors		Investigative Reports		Law & Order			
(12)	Fresh Pr.	Suddenly	Movie: "Limit Up"				News		MacGyver			
(39)	Moneyline	Crossfire	Wolf Blitzer	The Point	Larry King Live		Tonight	Spin Room	Sports	Moneyline		

FRIDAY EVENING JANUARY 26, 2001										
	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
(3)	Seinfeld	Frasier	Gary-Mike	Celebrity	Level 9		Frasier	Mad	Spin City	Spin City
(32)	Early Edition		Movie: "Free Fall"				Early Edition		700 Club	
6	Hollywood	Seinfeld	Providence		Dateline		Law & Order		News	
8	Fortune	Jeopardy!	Be a Millionaire		Two Guys	Norm	20/20		News	
10	News-Lehrer		Wash. Wk.	Wall St.	Keeping Up	Keeping Up	Time Goes	Served	Test of Courage	
(22)	Lines	Up Close Special		Ultimate Defender		Tennis: Australian Open		Sportscenter: Super Bowl		
(34)	Miami Vice		Martial Law		Bull Riding		Monster Jam		18 Wheels of Justice	
13	Friends	Ent. Tonight	Fugitive		CSI: Crime Scn		Nash Bridges		News	
(41)	Pregame	NBA Basketball: Phoenix Suns at Boston Celtics				National Sports Report		Sports	Last Word	
(15)	Inside the NFL		Movie: "Any Given Sunday"				GString		Dennis M.	
(17)	Even	Movie: "Heavyweights"			Movie: "Smart House"			Lizzie	Even	
(18)	Movie: "Edward Scissorhands" Cont'd			Movie: "Kate's Addiction"			Movie: "Arlington Road"			
(20)	NHL Hockey: Boston Bruins at Buffalo Sabres					ESPNNews		ESPNNews	ESPNNews	ESPNNews
(44)	NFL Stories Straight		Unsolved Mysteries		Movie: "Fatal Affair"			Division		
(5)	Fresh Pr.	Fresh Pr.	Movie: "Guarding Tess"				Movie: "Moonstruck"			
(24)	Hey Arnold!	Rugrats	Hey Arnold!	Hey Arnold!	Pelswick	Pelswick	3's Co.	3's Co.	All In Family	Jeffersons
(25)	Sun, Moon, Stars		Movie: "Cool Hand Luke"				Cinema	Movie: "Equinox"		
(26)	JAG		Nash Bridges		Movie: "Dark Prince: The True Story of Dracula"			Farmclub.com		
(27)	Law & Order		Biography				Poirot		Law & Order	
(12)	Movie: "For a Few Dollars More"					News		MacGyver		
(39)	Moneyline	Crossfire	Wolf Blitzer	The Point	Larry King Live		Tonight	Spin Room	Sports	Moneyline

SATURDAY EVENING JANUARY 27, 2001														
	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30				
(3)	NHL Hockey: New Jersey Devils at Boston Bruins						Survivor-Phen.		Maximum Exposure					
(32)	World's Greatest Magic II			Cher: Live in Concert From the MGM Grand				Janet Jackson-Velvet						
6	NBA Basketball		Movie: "The Ghost and the Darkness"						News	Sat. Night				
8	Fortune	Jeopardy!	AHL Hockey: Hartford Wolf Pack at Portland Pirates						News	Pretender				
10	Made In	Opinion	National Geographic	Antiques Roadshow		1900 House		Red Green	Robot War					
(22)	Mon. Night Countdown		College Basketball: Duke at Maryland			Tennis: Australian Open -- Men's Final								
(34)	Rockford Files		Grand Ole Opry Live	Gaither Gospel Hour		Century of Country	Grand Ole Opry Live							
13	Entertainment Tonight		Super Bowl Commercials	Saturday Night		Super Bowl Uncen-Sored	News							
(41)	College Hockey: Maine at Boston College					National Sports Report	Sports	See This						
(15)	Movie: "The Haunting"			Movie: "Hanging Up"			Oz							
(17)	Even	Movie: "Life Size"		Movie: "Susie Q"				Lizzie		Hoops				
(18)	"Big Daddy" Cont'd		Movie: "Three Kings"			Movie: "The Matrix"								
(20)	College Hockey: Union at Vermont				College Basketball: Rutgers at Syracuse				ESPNNews					
(44)	Movie: "The Hunt for the Unicorn Killer" Cont'd					Beyond Chance	Once and Again							
(5)	"Guarding Tess" Cont'd		Movie: "Road House"				Movie: "Heaven's Prisoners"							
(24)	Hey Arnold!	Rugrats	Spongeb	Amanda	Deeds of Eddie	Facts-Life	Facts-Life	3's Co.	3's Co.					
(25)	"Flying Tigers" Cont'd		Movie: "Cahill, United States Marshal"			Hollywood Rocks the Movies: The 60s								
(26)	Movie: "Casino"							Silk Stalkings						
(27)	Behind Closed Doors		Biography		Dalziel & Pascoe			100 Centre Street						
(12)	Fresh Pr.	Fresh Pr.	Stellar Gospel Music Awards				News	Darkside	For a Few					
(39)	Capital	Sports	Worldview	Movers	Larry King Weekend	People Count	Sports Tonight							

Sunday Evening January 28, 2001										
	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
(3)	"Sommersby" Cont'd		Movie "Flatliners"					Star Trek: Voyager		WCW World
32)	"Passport to Paris"		Movie "Au Pair"					Movie: "Time Share"		
6	Movie: "Good Burger"				Movie: "Little Giants"					News
8	Movie: "Babe"				Be a Millionaire		Practice			News
10	Ballykissangel		Nature		Masterpiece Theatre		Ayers Rock		Mystery!	
22)	Gymnastics: Rock 'n' Roll Cont'd		Cheerlead	Bodybuilding		ESPNNews	NFL		Sportscenter: Super Bowl	
34)	North	Outdoors	Outdoor	Grigsby	PRCA Rodeo			Outdoors		Crank
13)	Super Bowl XXXV: Baltimore Ravens vs. New York Giants Cont'd					Survivor-Aust. Outback			News	
41)	To Be Announced		Beyond the Glory		Goin' Deep		National Sports Report		Sports	Last Word
15)	"Things Change" Cont'd		Sopranos		Sopranos		Oz		Movie: "The Siege"	
17)	Even	Lizzie	Hoops	Heartbeat	Movie: "Squanto: A Warrior's Tale"				Lizzie	Hoops
18)	"Poltergeist" Cont'd		Movie: "Event Horizon"				Movie: "The End of the Affair"			
20)	Fan Attic			ESPNNews	ESPNNews	ESPNNews	ESPNNews	ESPNNews	ESPNNews	ESPNNews
44)	For My Daughter's Honor		Movie: "In a Child's Name"							
(5)	"Steel Magnolias" Cont'd		Movie: "Selena"						"Up Close & Personal"	
24)	Taina	Ginger	Caitlin	Nick News	Make Your	Make	Make	Make	Make	Make
25)	To Sir-Love	Screen	Movie: "The Trouble With Harry"				Lot	Movie: "Bus Stop"		
26)	"Eve's Bayou" Cont'd		Movie: "Six Days, Seven Nights"				La Femme Nikita		Law & Order	
27)	100 Centre Street		Murder, She Wrote		Murder, She Wrote		Murder, She Wrote		Murder, She Wrote	
12)	Xena: Warrior Princess		Andromeda		Earth: Final Conflict		News	Replay	MacGyver	
39)	Worldview	Sports	Worldview	Pinnacle	CNN & Time		Perspectives		Sports Tonight	

TUESDAY EVENING JANUARY 30, 2001												
	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30		
(3)	Seinfeld	Frasier	Movie: "Love Jones"				Frasier	Mad	Spin City	Spin City		
(32)	Early Edition		Freaks and Geeks		Freaks and Geeks		Early Edition		700 Club			
6	Hollywood	Seinfeld	3rd Rock	DAG	Frasier	Sisters	Dateline	News				
8	Fortune	Jeopardy!	Mole	Dharma		Geena	NYPD Blue		News			
10	News-Lehrer		Scientific-Frontiers		Nova		Frontline		Idaho			
(22)	College Basketball: Michigan State at Michigan				College Basketball: Tennessee at Florida				Sportscenter			
(34)	Miami Vice		Martial Law		Movie: "Act of Vengeance"				18 Wheels of Justice			
13	Friends	Ent. Tonight	JAG	60 Minutes II		Judging Amy		News				
(41)	See This	College Basketball: Massachusetts at Rhode Island			See This	National Sports Report		Sports	Last Word*			
(15)	"Miss Evers' Boys"		Real Sports		Movie: "Hanging Up"			Finding	Oz			
(17)	Movie: "Honey, We Shrunk Ourselves"		Movie: "Can of Worms"			Movie: "batteries not included"						
(18)	Movie: "The Principal" Cont'd			Mr. Death: Fred A. Leuchter, Jr.			Movie: "The 4th Floor"			Pleasure		
(20)	NHL Hockey: St. Louis Blues at Boston Bruins					ESPNNews	ESPNNews	ESPNNews	ESPNNews			
(44)	Intimate Portrait		Unsolved Mysteries		Movie: "Every Woman's Dream"				Golden	Golden		
(5)	Fresh Pr.	Fresh Pr.	NBA Basketball: Indiana Pacers at Orlando Magic				Inside NBA	"The TimeShifters"				
(24)	Hey Arnold!	Rugrats	Thomberrys	Brady	Gilligan	Facts-Life	3's Co.	3's Co.	All in Family	Jeffersons		
(25)	Hollywood Lives		Movie: "Vertigo"				Movie: "In Harm's Way"					
(26)	JAG		Nash Bridges		Movie: "Attila"				Movie: "Attila"			
(27)	Law & Order		Biography		City Confidential		Investigative Reports		Law & Order			
(12)	Fresh Pr.	Suddenly	Movie: "Mac and Me"			Hawaii Five-0		MacGyver				
(39)	Moneyline	Crossfire	Wolf Blitzer	The Point	Larry King Live		Tonight	Spin Room	Sports	Moneyline		

MONDAY EVENING JANUARY 29, 2001												
	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30		
(3)	Seinfeld	Frasier	Moesha	Parkers	Hughleys	Girlfriends	Frasier	Mad	Spin City	Spin City		
(32)	Early Edition		Providence		Providence		Early Edition		700 Club			
6	Hollywood	Seinfeld	Mysterious Ways		Dateline		Third Watch		News			
8	Fortune	Jeopardy!	Movie: "Liar Liar"			Gideon's Crossing		News				
10	News-Lehrer		Antiques Roadshow		Jazz			McLaughlin		Religion		
(22)	College Basketball: Georgetown at Syracuse				College Basketball: Kansas at Missouri				Sportscenter: Super Bowl			
(34)	Miami Vice		Martial Law		WWF Raw		WWF War Zone		Bull Riding			
13	Friends	Ent. Tonight	King	Yes, Dear	Raymond	Becker	Family Law		News			
(41)	NBA Basketball: Detroit Pistons at Boston Celtics					Sports	National Sports Report		Sports	Last Word		
(15)	"Son-in-Law" Cont'd		Movie: "Gang Related"			Oz		Movie: "XChange"				
(17)	Movie: "That Dam Cat"			"And You Thought Your Parents Were Weird"				"White Wolves II: Legend of the Wild"				
(18)	Movie: "The Thirteenth Floor" Cont'd			Movie: "Cruel Intentions II"			Movie: "Resurrection"					
(20)	Boating	Divers	Outdoors	Outdoors	ESPNNews	ESPNNews	ESPNNews	ESPNNews	ESPNNews	ESPNNews		
(44)	Intimate Portrait		Unsolved Mysteries		Movie: "Home Invasion"				Golden	Golden		
(5)	Fresh Pr.	Fresh Pr.	Movie: "Hang 'Em High"				"Geronimo: An American Legend"					
(24)	Hey Arnold!	Rugrats	Thornberrys	Brady	Gilligan	Facts-Life	3's Co.	3's Co.	All in Family	Jeffersons		
(25)	Unknown Peter Sellers		Movie: "Young Frankenstein"				Backstory	Movie: "Superman"				
(26)	JAG		Movie: "The Jackal"				Attila		Martin	Martin		
(27)	Law & Order		Biography		100 Centre Street		Investigative Reports		Law & Order			
(12)	Fresh Pr.	Suddenly	Movie: "Hawk's Vengeance"			News		MacGyver				
(39)	Moneyline	Crossfire	Wolf Blitzer	The Point	Larry King Live		Tonight	Spin Room	Sports	Moneyline		

WEDNESDAY EVENING JANUARY 31, 2001												
	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30		
(3)	Seinfeld	Frasier	7 Days		Star Trek: Voyager		Frasier	Mad	Spin City	Spin City		
(32)	Early Edition		Movie: "Dennis the Menace"			Early Edition		700 Club				
6	Hollywood	Seinfeld	Ed		West Wing		Law & Order		News			
8	Fortune	Jeopardy!	Be a Millionaire		Drew Carey	Spin City	Once and Again		News			
10	News-Lehrer		Living Edens		Jazz			To Live Until I Die				
(22)	College Basketball: N.C. State at Wake Forest			College Basketball: Maryland at Virginia				Sportscenter				
(34)	Miami Vice		Martial Law		Movie: "The Stone Boy"			Magnificent Seven				
13	Friends	Ent. Tonight	Belle	Welcome	Movie: "One Kill"			News				
(41)	NBA Basketball: Boston Celtics at Indiana Pacers				Sports	National Sports Report		Sports	Last Word			
(15)	My Dog	Deep Blue	Movie: "American Beauty"			Oz		Movie: "Deep Blue Sea"				
(17)	Movie: "Horse Sense"			Movie: "Young Hearts Unlimited"			Hoops	"Leapin' Leprechauns!"				
(18)	Movie: "Heartbreak Ridge" Cont'd			Movie: "Nick of Time"		Movie: "The End of the Affair"						
(20)	Finish Line	College Basketball: Villanova at Providence			ESPNNews	ESPNNews	ESPNNews	ESPNNews	ESPNNews	ESPNNews		
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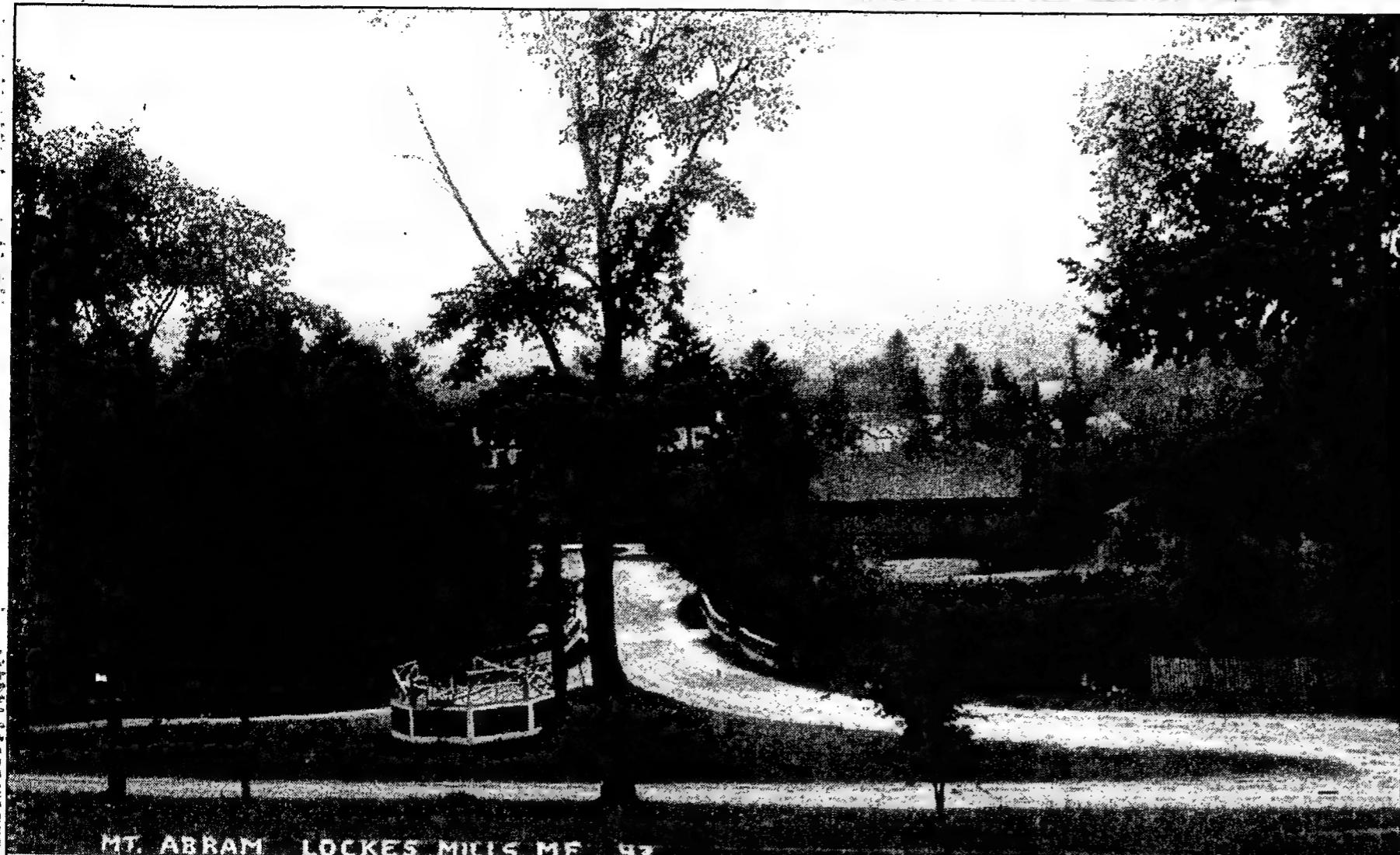
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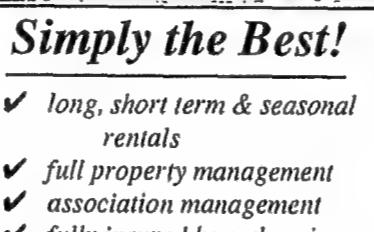
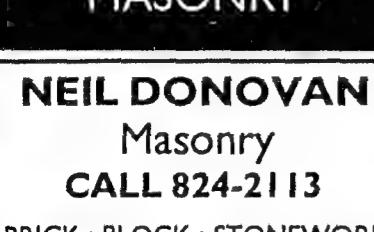
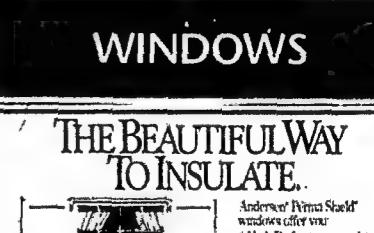
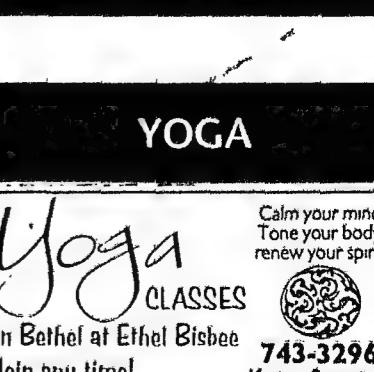
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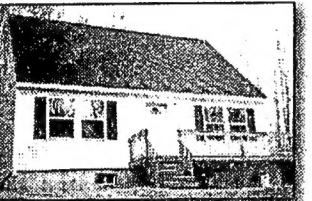
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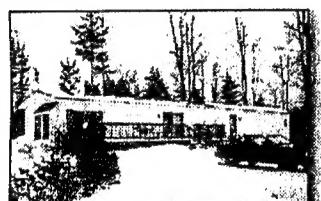
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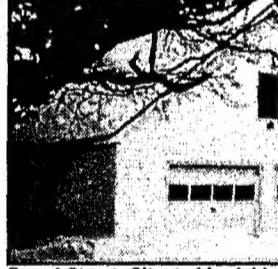
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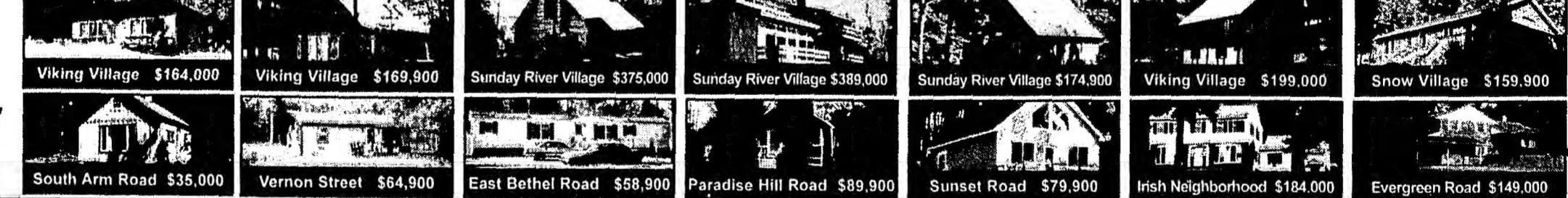
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Obituaries

ROBERT I. MACDONALD

Robert Ives MacDonald, 96, formerly of Arlington, Mass., died at his home in North Waterford on Sunday, Jan. 21, 2001.

He was born in Boston, Mass., on Aug. 20, 1904, the son of Robert and Ida MacDonald. He attended schools in Boston and later assumed ownership of the family business, Macdonald Elevator Company.

In 1966 he retired and moved to Maine where he enjoyed gardening and construction activities for many years.

He married Catherine Broomsmith in 1932, who succumbed to cancer in 1944. On Nov. 11, 1950, he married Dorothy Allen of Medford, Mass.

Survivors include his caregiver, Dorothy MacDonald, of North Waterford; five children, Helen O'Quinn of Miami, Fla., Robert G. and his wife Donna of Ossipee, N.H., Barbara Allen and her husband Jeffrey of Waterford, son Charles and his wife Linda of North Waterford, son William and his wife Sarah of Stoneham; a sister, Dorothy Peck of Milford, Mass.; 13 grandchildren; and 10 great-grandchildren. He was predeceased by a grandson, Dana Whitney, in 1966.

Graveside services will be held in the spring at Woodlawn Cemetery, North Waterford.

GEORGE W. 'BILL' SPRAGUE

George W. "Bill" Sprague, 67, died Sunday, Jan. 21, 2001 at the home of his brother, John Sprague on the New Road in Lovell. He had been residing with his brother for the past three years and was formerly of Sebago.

He was born in Carmel, a son of Otho and Vivian Newell Sprague. He attended schools in Carmel and South Portland and graduated from the Connally Vocational Trade School in Pittsburgh, Pa., with a degree in plumbing. He served with the U.S. Navy from 1951 until 1954. He was employed several years with the Rogers Plumbing and Heating Company, McKees Rocks, Pa., as a master plumber prior to moving to Sebago. He worked several years for the Lawrence Plumbing and Heating Company of North Windham.

He married Sara Dauphine Sprague in 1954 and they raised their family of four children. Mr. Sprague was an avid hunter and fisherman and loved his family and the state of Maine. His family said that he will be remembered as a man of little words but with such a big heart.

Survivors include his stepmother, Grace Sprague of Litchfield; two sons, Donald of Sebago and David of Sanford; two daughters, Billie Lynn Burke of Albany and Blisa Harriman of Sebago; three broth-

ers, Robert of Scarborough, Otho of Limington and John of Lovell; three sisters, Ethel Wilson of Phoenix, Ariz., Helen Buzzell of Raymond and Mary Ann Paulsen of Hollis; and eight grandchildren. A brother, Francis A., died previously.

Visiting hours will be from 6 to 8 p.m. Thursday, Jan. 25, at the York Funeral Chapel, Maple Street, Cornish, where a memorial service will be held at 1 p.m. on Friday, Jan. 26. The Rev. Jack Daniels will officiate.

DANIEL W. BRAINARD

Daniel Wilson Brainard, 43, of West Paris, died unexpectedly at his home late Sunday evening, Jan. 21, 2001.

He was born and raised in Westbrook, Conn., the son of Gordon and Mary (Tafl) Brainard, who survived him, and attended the Westbrook schools.

On June 29, 1985, he married the former Beverly Verrill, who also survives him, and they had resided in West Paris for the past 22 years.

A boiler operator by vocation, he had been associated with the Penley Corporation for three years, and then at Oxford Homes for 17 years. His passions were hunting, fishing, and NASCAR.

Besides his parents and his wife, he is survived by a sister, Shelly Kosky; two nieces; his brother, Timothy and his wife Charlene; as well as his wife's parents, Leon and Marguerite Verrill. He will be missed by other family members and friends.

Funeral services will be held at the Andrews Funeral Home, South Woodstock, on Thursday, Jan. 25, at 11 a.m. Interment will be in Woodlawn Cemetery, North Waterford, in the spring. In lieu of flowers donations may be made in his memory to Maine Dept. of Fisheries & Wildlife, 284 State Street, Augusta, ME 04333.

EDITH M. BIRD

Edith M. Bird, 90, of Rumford, formerly of Oxford, died Tuesday, Jan. 23, 2001 at Rumford Hospital.

She was born in Albany on July 22, 1910, the daughter of Walter and Sadie Henley Canwell. She attended schools in Albany.

She married Elbridge E. Bird Sr. on May 6, 1931, who died Jan. 3, 1960.

Mrs. Bird worked at Burnham and Morrill Factory for years. She was also a childcare provider for many years.

Survivors include two daughters, Ida and her husband Robert Gagne of Oxford and Marion Stevens of South Paris; eight grandchildren; 14 great-grandchildren; and a sister, Marjorie Sweeney of Norway. She was predeceased by a son, Elbridge E. Bird Jr.; a brother, Harold Canwell; and a sister, Beatrice Chelluk.

Graveside services will be held in the spring. Those who wish may make contributions to the Oxford Fire and Rescue, P.O. Box 173, Oxford, ME 04270.

Card of Thanks

We want to express our sincere thanks to the Bethel, Newry and Greenwood Fire Departments for responding to the fire we had in our sawmill debarker on January 13, 2001.

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They still speak in the echoes of words we've heard them say again and again -

They still move in the rhythm of waving grasses, in the dance of tossing branches.

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Births

Nathalie and David Berry of Newry are pleased to announce the arrival of a baby girl, Nicole Anne Marie, born on Jan. 12, 2001 at Maine Medical Center, Portland, weighing 5 pounds, 6 ounces.

Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Dale Bosworth of Petersburg, Alaska.

Paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Francis Berry of Newry.

Nicole joins sister Elise, age 8.

NO. WATERFORD CHURCH

The Rev. George Frobis has invited all Oxford County United Parish Church members and friends to attend a showing of a movie entitled, "Weapons of Spirit," a film about the village of La Chambon sur Linge, in France.

The Protestant church in that town saved 5,000 Jews from the Nazis during WWII.

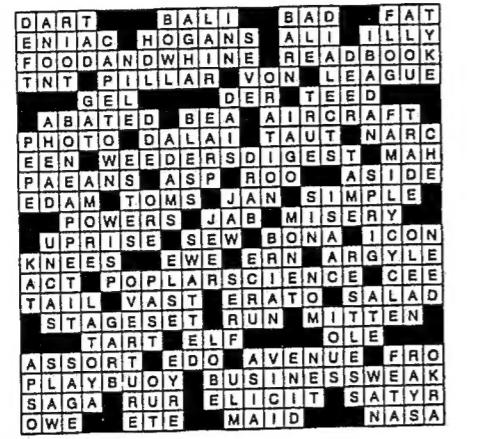
The movie will be shown on Sunday, Jan. 28, at 7 p.m. at the North Waterford Congregational Church vestry.

Oxford County United Parish will hold its annual meeting at 7 p.m. Wednesday, Jan. 31, at the North Waterford Congregational Church vestry.

All members of the North Waterford and East Stoneham Congregational churches are invited to attend the meeting.

The Oxford County United Parish's Sunday morning worship services (during the months of January, February and March) will be held at the North Waterford Congregational Church. All area residents are invited to attend the 10 a.m. services. Sunday School is also at 10 a.m., and all area children are welcome to attend.

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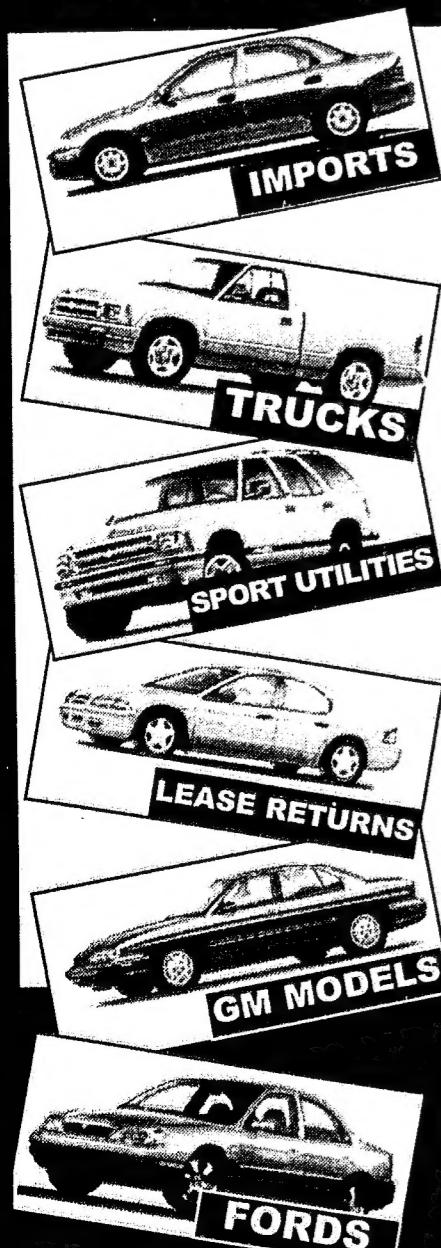
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